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Dear student

We hope you are staying safe and well in these uncertain times.

We would like to take this opportunity to provide an update in relation to your application to study at Holderness Academy Sixth Form.

We have now received all applications, and interviews have been conducted either via telephone or in person; it has been a pleasure to hear of your aims and aspirations for the future. We are pleased to announce that students who have been interviewed are offered a conditional place to study in our Sixth Form. Places will be confirmed upon receipt of the appropriate grades on results day, 20 August 2020; further information will be shared in due course regarding the format that results day will take.

In normal circumstances, in order to facilitate a successful transition to Further Education, we would look to welcome our applicants to the Sixth Form for a welcome day. This usually involves meeting subject teachers, discussing course content and embarking on transition activities; we are incredibly disappointed that this cannot take place this year. In replacement we have moved to an electronic system: the first step was the completion of the 'Step into the Future' guide you have been sent by Mr Wilson, along with the introduction of the EPQ qualification.

We have now reached the stage where we would like to introduce the A Level and BTEC courses that you are due to embark on studying, and we are now making bridging resources available to allow you to begin the next steps in your educational journey. The material has been supplied by individual subject areas; it offers you the opportunity to introduce yourself to the format and content of the courses you have selected. We would like to request that you work through the bridging material for the subject areas that have been selected and discussed at interview.

The latest material can be found here: <u>https://bit.ly/HA-SixthFormBridgingWork2020</u>

This work can also be found under Google Drive > \_Student Resources > Bridging Work - Year 11 into Year 12 Students will need to sign in with their HA Google account to access the folder.

Further material will be supplied after your place has been confirmed to join the Sixth Form on GCSE results day. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us, we are on hand to support in any way that we can.

For questions regarding the bridging material – <u>remotelearning@holderness.academy</u> For questions regarding Sixth Form places – <u>sixthform@holderness.academy</u>

Best wishes

The Sixth Form Leadership Team

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