



STOUR VALLEY
— COMMUNITY SCHOOL —

Stour Valley Community School
Cavendish Road, Clare
Suffolk CO10 8PJ

01787 279342

info@stourvalley.org

www.stourvalleycommunityschool.org

Headteacher Mrs Rachel Kelly BA (Hons)

16 June 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

Change to start of term Sept 2021 and Year 6 Transition arrangements

Year 6 Transition

Following the announcement by the Prime Minister on 14 June, in relation to the continuation of some Covid-19 restrictions, we are postponing Year 6 transition which was due to take place in early July. Whilst we have every confidence in the measures we have in place to manage Covid-19 we do not feel it is appropriate, at this time, to be bringing children from 27 different schools into the Stour Valley community. We are also concerned about children on transition then returning to their primary schools, having spent three days in a new environment, with the increased number of contacts and the risk of track and trace leading to them having to self-isolate and children missing the end of Year 6.

Year 6 transition will take place over three days, as already planned, in September and further details will follow during the week beginning 5 July.

Plans for September 2021

- Monday 6 Sept – New Year 7 ONLY
- Tuesday 7 Sept – Years 7, 10 & 11 ONLY
- Wednesday 8 Sept – Years 7, 10 & 11 ONLY
- Thursday 9 Sept – All year groups

If any Covid-19 restrictions remain in place for September then an updated Risk Assessment will be made available before students return to school.

Yours faithfully

Mrs R Kelly
Headteacher

