

4 September 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to you to update you on our process for selecting our French and Spanish groupings for this academic year. Due to some concerns raised regarding the accuracy of the transition data used to group the students, we have decided that the students will work in mixed groups, studying both French and Spanish for the first weeks of the term.

After this period, we will undertake our own department baseline assessment, that will enable us to make a more accurate and informed decision regarding which language your child would best study. We will of course keep you up to date with this information and you will have the opportunity to discuss this with me at the **Year 7 Settling in Evening on Wednesday 25 September**, details of which will be circulated in the first week of term.

If you have any questions regarding this please do not hesitate to contact me on email (ajohnson@highcrestacademy.org.uk) or via phone on 01494 529866.

Regards

Mrs A Johnson

Head of MFL