The Oswaldtwistle School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to extend a very warm welcome to you and your child as you come to join us at our school. For some of you the journey to get to The Oswaldtwistle School may have been a tricky road, but we can assure you that now you are here we will do the very best we can to make you and your child’s experience of education and school life the best it can be.

We want to make every student’s experience at The Oswaldtwistle School a rich learning time, with a huge variety of Individual Learning Pathways open to all to. For our students and staff we are not just a school, but a real caring community. We help and encourage our students to be confident in their education as many of them may have had a negative experience before.

We work very closely with parents to make sure that your child is safe and happy with us, as well as successful. We aim to keep all lines of communication open, especially with our dedicated Key Workers who are your first port of call to the school. Parents are always encouraged to contact the school if they have concerns and are always welcome to visit!

We firmly believe in listening to our students. Many of them are involved in the School Council, Prefects in year 10, or have extra privileges in year 11. Students represent the school at year 11 College Placements, Work experience placements, links to a local Old Age care home which we regularly visit and work with. Local Nursery, Local farms, Outdoor education, including water sports, in fact there are many varied activities for students to be involved in.

Once again, welcome to our school,

Warmest regards

Anne Kyle

Head Teacher M.A (hons) PGCE NPQH