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Dear Year 6 Families,

Re: Year 6 Graduation & Disco

As a year 6 family, you must be very proud to have reached the final weeks of primary school. You will be filled with excitement and apprehension at the same time as you think about the move to secondary school in September for your children.

We often talk to our year 5 and year 6 children about our own experiences of moving from primary school to secondary school and all of the exciting events involved. It is a time to celebrate everything that they have achieved and celebrate the exciting journey ahead of them.

With this in mind, we are looking forward to celebrating the children's graduation from Thomas Fairchild. We hope you can join us on **Wednesday 15th July** for our graduation ceremony.



Please find below the details for the **Year 6 Graduation Celebration**:

- The graduation event will begin promptly at **2.15pm on the 15th July**, so please arrive from **2pm** to take your seats. It is important to be on time for this event.
- The graduation ceremony will last approximately 70 minutes.
- The ceremony will end at approximately **3.25pm**. Parents may take their children with them once the ceremony has finished.
- The remaining children will stay in school until dismissal at 3.30pm.
- As always, we welcome families to attend this special event. **Please note that our capacity in this space allows for up to 2 family members to attend**, per child. Thank you for your support with this.

We are also very excited to say that this year we will be hosting a **Year 6 disco** for our leavers. The disco will take place in the main hall at Thomas Fairchild also on **Wednesday 15th July**. The event is for children only and will be a wonderful opportunity for the children to celebrate for the last time as a year group. For this event children must be dropped off by an adult at **4.30pm** and collected by an adult at **6.00pm**.

In the meantime, by popular request, we will be collecting parents' photos of our year 6 children from different stages in their journey, from baby and nursery photos onwards! Please could you share your photos by email with tfoffice@newwavefederation.co.uk under the subject "**Year 6 Photos**".



If you have any questions about the graduation, please contact the school office.

Kind regards,

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