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Dear Parents

Richard Lander School is at an exciting stage in its development.

In September 2006 we moved into a brand new building on a new site near Threemilestone. Such a move has brought many benefits, not least in resourcing and space for a school that is predicted to grow in size significantly in the coming years. Our roll is nearly 1300 pupils, aged 11-16, and this should increase to 1350. This has resulted in our published admission number for our Year 7 intake rising to 270.

Our school is a successful community comprehensive school with Technology College, Leading Edge and Training School Designations. We benefit hugely from having an excellent staff, both teaching and support and a student body that is enthusiastic and contributes positively to the life and work of the school. Indeed it is this commitment from everyone that provides a supportive and caring community for all. We are often complimented on our ethos, which is the essence of our school, and it is that which we believe we have brought with us to our new premises.

If your son or daughter is interested in joining us then we look forward to them contributing to the future of Richard Lander School.

Best wishes

Trevor Coldman
Headteacher