Contact: Mrs Fitzjohn

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

**Showcasing a ‘Best Piece of Writing’**

Whilst their journey at Brooke Weston is just beginning, we know that our new Year 7 students already arrive with a wealth of knowledge and a whole tool kit of language skills. We would like to give all students the opportunity to showcase their writing and impress all of their teachers across the curriculum as they should take pride in their achievements.

We would like each student to create their ‘Best Piece of Writing’ for both fiction and non-fiction writing. This can be a piece of writing they have previously completed whilst in year 6, or it could be a new piece of writing using the prompts below or an idea of their own. We ask that all students use the attached template to complete the task or attach a copy of their work from primary school.

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| Fiction – **ONE** of the following | Non-fiction – **ONE** of the following |
| * Write a poem
* Write a play
* Write a story
 | * Write a speech
* Write a newspaper article
* Write a letter
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All students will display this ‘Best Piece of Writing’ in their new English book as a reminder of how much they already know, and to look back on as they develop their skills at secondary school.

We would like to encourage all students to complete these two tasks as they will be a great way for their new English teachers to see how creative they are.

If you need further support or have any further questions, please contact Mrs Fitzjohn (Literacy Co-ordinator) in the English department.

Yours faithfully,