



# Communication between School and Home

North Kesteven Academy  
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## **Communication between School and Home**

North Kesteven Academy is continually looking to improve ways in which we communicate with the parents and carers of our students. An option that we have decided to fully implement is a Text and Email Messaging Service. This will not replace our usual methods of communications (letters, reports etc.) but will be in addition to.

There are many benefits to using this form of communication, such as informing you if a trip is late back to school, emergency closures (e.g. weather!), first day contact/absences, School announcements and many other areas when perhaps a text message would be the quickest and easiest way to contact you.

To enable us to implement this service, we intend to use the contact information (mobile number and email address) provided for Contact 1 in the Induction Pack.

If you have any questions about this service or should you wish to opt out then please contact the School's General Office on the main school telephone number.

### **Lost Property**

Students' property should be named and secured wherever possible. The school's insurance policy does not cover the loss of students' possessions.

Valuable items such as mobile phones are brought into school at the students' own risk.

North Kesteven Academy has a lost property and theft of items policy. The policy advises students **not** to bring valuable items into school and adds: *it is unreasonable to expect the school to become involved in chasing up such mislaid/stolen items.*