



Arrangements for Year 7 students on the first day of school: Wednesday 5 September 2018

8:50am	Your child should arrive by this time and make their way to the main hall, where they will be greeted by their Head of House. They will then be collected by a member of their allocated tutor group, who will take them to their tutor base to meet the rest of their group.
8:50 - 11:15am	Your child will take part in a carousel of activities with their tutor group. This will include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the distribution of planners and timetables • a walk of the site, so that Year 7s can begin to familiarise themselves with the layout of the school • an assembly with the Principal • finger printing (Biometric system) • the rewards system • discussion of expectations of behaviour • a range of presentations in readiness for the commencement of studies.
11:15am - 11:35am	Break time, where students will have the opportunity to get refreshments and to socialise.
11:35 - 12:20pm	Continuation of tutor time activities, preparing for the start of the new school year.
12:20 - 1:15pm	Year 7 students will have an extended lunchtime to allow them to become familiar in using the canteen and lunchtime procedures. If you would like to provide your child with a packed lunch please do so. Hot meals are available and the cost for this will be charged retrospectively after their account has been activated on the 6 September.
After lunch, your child will commence with their timetable	
1:15 - 2:15pm	Lesson 4
2:15 - 3:15pm	Lesson 5
3:15pm	School finishes.

Please note that your child will **not** require a PE kit for the first day. However, they will need the specified writing equipment as listed on the reverse of this schedule. (Please see overleaf).

Thursday 6 September will commence at **8:50am** and students will follow their timetable. Extend lunchtimes will continue for the first few weeks until your child is fully settled.

We hope you have a fantastic summer holiday and we look forward to seeing your child as one of our new Year 7s in September.

Mrs Jo Harris
Director of Lower School Achievement

Equipment

Essential Pencil Case including:
▪ Ball point pens, at least two (Only pens with black ink can be used for all examinations).
▪ Pencils, at least two
▪ Ruler
▪ Maths Calculator
▪ Highlighter
Recommended:
▪ Pencil Sharpener
▪ Colouring pencils
▪ Scissors
▪ Compass
▪ Felt-tipped Colouring Pens
▪ Glue Stick
▪ Rubber
▪ Protractor
Useful:
▪ Mini Stapler
▪ Pocket Dictionary
▪ Pocket Thesaurus
▪ Mini Foreign Language Dictionary

Many of the above items can be purchased from Student Services.