

Netherhall School

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5th June 2020.

Subject: Year 6 transition to Netherhall School.

Dear Parent / Guardian,

I am writing to provide you with a further update on our transition arrangements to facilitate a smooth transition for your son or daughter to begin their studies with us at Netherhall School in the autumn term.

Over the coming weeks I will be making transition visits to many of our local feeder primary schools to meet those year 6 students who have returned to their schools, to give them a presentation on life at Netherhall School and so I am able to answer any questions that they may have ahead of the start of the autumn term. While not all primary schools have been able to reopen and many students are not returning to school for the remainder of the summer term, it is important that all students, parents and guardians receive all the information required to ensure the best possible transition to Netherhall School in September.

I am therefore writing to you today to let you know that it is our intention to provide a transition day for year 6 students as they enter year 7 on Thursday 3rd September. On this day there will only be our new year 7 and new year 12 students in school and our intention is that our new students have a full day to get used to their new school, meet their new teachers and find their bearings before the start of the school year for all other year groups on Friday 4th September. It is also our intention to provide an open evening for parents on Thursday 3rd September, so that we are able to formally welcome you all to Netherhall School and this will be confirmed nearer to the time.

To support your child's transition to Netherhall School, I am today enclosing a copy of our "Year 7 Induction" document which would ordinarily be issued to parents and guardians at the June open evening. This guide gives a fully comprehensive coverage of life at Netherhall and should address any questions you may have ahead of the start of your child's education with us in September.

Further to this, please follow the link below to the online permissions form which we would like you to read through with your child, complete and submit at your earliest convenience.

Link to '[Netherhall School Permissions Pack](#)'

Finally, it is with great pleasure that I attach a link to our "Welcome to Netherhall School" video. I hope you enjoy the presentation and while we would have preferred to have been meeting you all in person in the coming weeks, we do hope that this gives you a flavour of the exciting times that await your son or daughter in the autumn.

Link to '[Welcome to Netherhall School](#)'

I am very much looking forward to meeting those year 6 students who have returned to their primary schools over the coming weeks and to welcoming all our new year 7 students along with parents and guardians to Netherhall School in September. In the meantime, if you have any queries at all then please do not hesitate to get in contact with me by email at m.bailey@netherhall.cumbria.sch.uk

Yours faithfully,

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