St Mary's Catholic High School, Leyland

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Dear Parents / Carers,

All Year 6 pupils transferring to Lancashire Secondary Schools participate in a taster day. On this day they will experience first-hand some of the exciting opportunities that high school can offer them. This year it will take place on Thursday, 7th July from 8:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Although school will be quieter as Year 11 pupils have left, the day will be organised in a similar way to a normal school day, giving your child the best possible impression of a typical day here at St Mary's Catholic High School. We have planned different activities for the Year 6 pupils, including a P.E. lesson and therefore it would be helpful if your child could bring with them their P.E. kit. Facilities will be available for changing. Please may I clarify that we would expect the pupils to attend in their normal primary school uniform.

In addition to their form tutors they will meet Anthony (our School Chaplain), Miss Wilson, the Pastoral Leader for Year 7, Mrs Kelly, the Pastoral Assistant for Year 7, Mrs Reader, who is the Assistant Headteacher Senior Pastoral Lead and Mrs Pilling, who is the Assistant Headteacher for Transition.

Your child will be provided with a free school meal at lunchtime and they will be able to fill up their water bottles from our water fountains during the day.

Please can you arrange for your child to be here at St Mary's for 8:45 a.m., entrance will be through the pupil gate by the layby, and to be picked up at 3:00 p.m. Pupils will begin and end their day in the Drama Theatre.

I look forward to seeing the children on the 7th July. If there are any problems or queries please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

R Thompson

Mr P Thompson Headteacher St Mary's Catholic High School