

**The Orme Academy**, Milehouse Lane, Wolstanton, Newcastle under Lyme, Staffordshire ST5 9JU □ 01782 742900
☑ office@toa.set.org
⊕ www.theormeacademy.org.uk

Principal Mr M R Boughey (NPQH, MA, PGCE, BSc)

1<sup>st</sup> July 2024 Dear New Year 7 Student

## Re: Induction Day- Tuesday 3rd September 2024

I hope you are all well and that you are enjoying your final few weeks in Year 6. I am excited to confirm we will be having our Induction Day on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September. This will ensure that you are ready for your next steps to becoming a fully-fledged student at The Orme Academy!

On Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September, you should report to the main gate on Milehouse Lane at 8:30am where staff will be ready to meet you. Please do not come in by the back gate on Sparch Hollow on this day. Parents/carers are welcome to come onto the Academy site to walk you to our main entrance at the front of the Academy. You will also be dismissed from this entrance at the end of the day at 3.00pm. Please note, for this day only, these times are slightly different to the usual Academy Day on Tuesdays which is normally 8:40am-3:20pm. Your parents/carers are welcome to come into the hall at the end of the day for an optional, informal chance to meet tutors and discuss how the first day has gone. Please be aware that there is no parking for parents/carers on the Academy site.

On this day, only Year 7 students will be in the Academy building which will allow you time to find your way around. We have some fantastic team building activities arranged for you in your form groups which will help you settle in and feel comfortable in your new surroundings.

## What to wear and what to bring?

You should wear your full The Orme Academy uniform. You should bring your school bag and pencil case containing your pens, pencil, rubber, ruler and calculator. A refillable water bottle would also be advised. These can be refilled in the café at break and lunch times. There is no need to bring your PE kit on this day.

## What will happen at break and lunch?

You will be able to use the café at break and lunch time. Biometric information will be taken to enable you to purchase food from lunchtime on Tuesday onwards, so please bring a snack for breaktime. For those students in receipt of free school meals, a lunch will be provided for you.

If you have any questions, please contact us before the end of term (Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July).

Yours sincerely

Ms H Jackson Head of Year 7

