

The Warriner School

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TRANSITION TO THE WARRINER SCHOOL – Year 6 Students

Dear Parent, Carer or Guardian,

I would like to wish you and your Year 6 child a very warm welcome to The Warriner School.

The enclosed transition pack contains a wealth of useful information about the transfer process and will answer many of the questions that you may have. There is a lot of information to read and digest; we strongly recommend that you invest time in reading carefully through each document.

During these uncertain times brought on by the coronavirus pandemic, our transition process will not take its usual form; we will though do all that we can to offer an effective, detailed and welcoming format that leaves your child feeling reassured and ready for an excellent start in Year 7. Clearly our plans may be subject to change, based upon further government guidelines, but it is imperative that we work to a schedule.

To kick off the process of transition to The Warriner School, we would like to invite your Year 6 child, accompanied by one parent or carer, to a Year 6 **induction session**. This will last for around 1 hour and 30 minutes, and will take place at The Warriner School, during the school day (not an evening) on either *Tuesday 23rd or Thursday 25th June*. We will be in communication with you nearer to the time to inform you of your date and time allocation. This session will offer a chance for you and your child to meet the Senior Leadership Team, myself as Head of Year 7 and, most importantly, your child's tutor. You will have the opportunity to have many questions answered. Year 6 children may also be shown around the school by some current students, and have a chance to ask them more about what life is really like at The Warriner School. We will be running six repeat induction sessions across these two days to ensure that social distancing is maintained, group numbers are low, and that guidelines are carefully followed regarding covid-19. We strongly recommend that you attend your allocated slot.

Please arrive at school promptly for your allocated time once you receive it – Year 6 children, weather permitting, will be invited to gather on the lawn, and parents or carers will move into the school hall.

Within this transition pack there is both information which you should read and keep in a safe place, and other forms which need to be completed and returned. It would be greatly appreciated if you could **bring your 'complete and return' paperwork to us on the induction session**. A designated team will be collecting in all forms as you enter the hall, to pass onto our administration staff.

If, after having read through all the information in the pack, you have any queries about the process, then please contact me on J.Knowles@warriner.oxon.sch.uk We look forward to welcoming you towards the end of June.

Yours sincerely,

Jim Knowles
Head of Year 7 and Transition Coordinator



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