

CJS/ORR

1st May 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

We are looking forward to welcoming your child to our transition days on Thursday 25th and Friday 26th June from 8.45am – 2.30pm. Students will experience a sample of lessons, meet key staff and work with several of our senior students. We want this day to not only be a 'taster' of the learning at Blue Coats, but a chance to meet their new year group and settle into a secondary school which has many more facilities and spaces available for them to enjoy. The priority is to both encourage new experiences and address any uncertainties about this next stage in their education.

On the day itself children will need to come into school through our main reception area (front of the school site) between 8.45am and 8.55am. They will then be directed into the main hall. If you are coming to the school to drop off your child, please use the front car park. We ask for children to wear their school uniform during these transition days and to bring trainers with them for both days.

We will also be providing lunch on both transition days. It is therefore very important that we receive bookings for your child's food choices and any information of dietary requirements/allergies. If preferred, there will also be an option to bring a packed lunch from home. Please complete the form using the link at the bottom of the page to indicate lunch choices as well as provide some additional information. We do ask all parents/carers to provide a drink and snack at break time for your child to enjoy, as there will not be an option to buy food or drink on the school site.

The day will finish at 2.30pm. If you do not give permission for your child to leave the school site independently and would rather pick them up at the school reception, please indicate on the link below. If for any reason your child cannot attend these days, please let us know as soon as possible by using the email at the bottom of this letter.

In addition to the transition days, we will be holding a New Intake Evening in the main hall on Thursday 25th June. During this evening, we will be giving you information about the start of the new term and day to day running of the school.

We are very much looking forward to meeting you all very soon. If you have any questions, please do contact us at setforseven@tbcs.sfet.org.uk



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In the meantime, please complete the reply form indicating food choices, departure permission and medical details. We require these to be completed by 15th May.

If you would like to access the link, please contact the school.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs C Jakes
Deputy Headteacher