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Dear parent/carer,

Year 6 Transition meeting for parents and carers: Thursday, 11 July
Venue: The Holgate Academy, Hillcrest Hall

As part of our transition programme, which includes your child spending 3 days with us on 10, 11 and 12 July, we would like to invite parents and carers to come along and meet our year 7 team – including your child's tutor – on Thursday 11 July.

The event will begin with an introduction from Mr Pattullo (head of year) and is a great opportunity for you to find out about our comprehensive pastoral programme and to ask any questions you may have regarding your child's transition into year 7.

There will be three bookable sessions available (each covering the same information).

The session times are:

- 4 – 4.35pm
- 4.40 – 5.15pm
- 5.20 – 5.55pm

Please just choose whichever session is most convenient for you and book your place via the link here:

<https://forms.office.com/e/KZT6j8q32P?origin=lprLink>

We hope you will be able to join us and look forward to meeting you on the evening.

Kind regards,

Mrs J Chapman

Assistant Principal

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The Holgate Academy Transition Days 10th – 12th July key points.

Parents are to leave pupils at the gate, we will have a team of prefects and tutors greeting at the gate and directing to the hall.

Pupils are to come straight to Holgate for a 9:00am start. They do not go to their primary school. We will have the hall open for pupils who are arriving earlier with older pupils. All pupils must go to the hall when they arrive, they are not to go elsewhere.

The entrance at the hillcrest site is the only entrance used.

Pupils will wear their primary uniform, on Friday they will need to attend in PE kit as they have PE on Friday.

Pupils can bring a packed lunch with them, or they can purchase food from the canteen, we will only be opening the hillcrest canteen for year 6s to use. Please complete this form so we can sort lunch orders:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=IjSRlI4M1kOC3N5lia_fpa-DQH49BPtDjAmb6_NJm9NUNzlyOThCM1pNSVZET1RETDhJRIIFSfOSi4u

During transition pupils will be able to use money to sort lunch purchases, they will not be issued change, it will be added to their school account that will carry through all transition and into year 7. Our canteen manager has said pupils can bring enough money for the 3 days and put it all on their accounts on Wednesday.

During the transition days pupils will experience a range of subjects and spend time in the tutor groups, getting to know one another and their tutor.

The day will end at 3:00pm.

We will end the day in the hall, pupils can wait for older siblings there.

During transition, pupils are not expected to have all equipment but it would be beneficial.

If you have not completed a data collection sheet, here is the link: <https://forms.office.com/e/nLkzXjyqq>