

Our Ref: AJO/HK

May 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

Thank you for accepting a place at Hanson for September 2021. We welcome you to Hanson and look forward to the next 5 years with your child at our school.

We acknowledge the trust you have put into our school and we endeavour to make sure that every young person who starts Year 7 with us settles in quickly. In addition to this we ensure each is provided with an enriching academic and social environment, one in which they can achieve their full potential.

In this pack you will find details of:

- Transition day and evening on Wednesday 7th July
- Admissions form – to be returned to school
- NEW Summer School arrangements and forms – to be returned to school
- 'All About Me' worksheet – completed by the student and returned to school
- Student Guide
- School Prospectus

Transition Day

On **Wednesday 7th July 2021** we will be hosting our Transition Day and Evening. Your child will spend the full day going to lessons, meeting staff and students and having lunch with us.

The day starts at 8.30am and finishes at 3.15pm but we do ask you to arrive at school from 8.15am onwards so we can organise students into their form groups. Your child will need £2.60 to buy a set meal in the Atrium restaurant at lunchtime and if they normally receive a free school meal we will make sure they get a free school meal too. Alternatively, your child can bring their own packed lunch.

If you intend to bring your child to school by car, please arrive at either the 'turning circle' on the approach to GOAL's car park or at the pathway entrance next to Grove House School car park between 8.15am – 8.30am. If arriving on foot, students may use the GOALS, Grove House or Sutton Avenue entrance. We will have a team of 6th Form students and Student Leaders who will guide the children into school. If you will be collecting your child at the end of the school day, please collect from the same location. Parents/Carers should not arrive before 3.00pm to avoid congestion at our regular school closure time.

Transition Evening

The evening runs between **5.00pm and 7.00pm** and gives parents and carers the opportunity to visit the school and meet your child's Form Tutor. You will have the chance to find out general information about uniform, day structure, the start of term and all other relevant details that will allow your child a smooth transition in September.

Admissions form

We would be most grateful if you could complete the enclosed admissions form and return it to school either before Wednesday 7th July or on the day/evening itself.

NEW Summer school arrangements

We have also included in this pack the NEW Summer School arrangements, which have changed following the announcement of additional government funding. Please return this to school if you wish your child to attend any of the days on offer.

We look forward to you and your child becoming happy members of the Hanson community and meeting you all on Wednesday 7th July. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school using the contact details above.

Yours faithfully



Mr A O'Neill
Director of Transition and Progression



Mrs Ammaarah Akhtar
Director of KS3