



THE BUCKINGHAM SCHOOL

A SPECIALIST SPORTS COLLEGE

London Road
Buckingham
MK18 1AT

Tel: 01280 812206

Fax: 01280 822525

Email: office@buckingham.bucks.sch.uk

Website: www.buckingham-school.com

Headteacher: Angela Wells

19 June 2017

Dear Parent / Carer,

YEAR 7 INDUCTION PROGRAMME TUESDAY 4 JULY AND WEDNESDAY 5 JULY 2017

We are looking forward to seeing your child at The Buckingham School for our two-day Induction programme on **Tuesday 4 July and Wednesday 5 July**.

We would also like to invite you as parents/carers and your child to our Induction Evening and Barbecue on the evening of Tuesday 4 July, from **5.00pm until 7.00pm**.

Timings for the Induction Programme – Tuesday 4 and Wednesday 5 July 2017

You will need to arrange for your child to be at The Buckingham School (Student entrance) at **8.30am** where they will be met by members of our Senior Leadership Team and escorted to the Sports Hall. Children will need to be picked up at the end of our school day from the MUGA (Multi-Use Games Area – at the top end of school) at **3pm**. Please note that the local school buses are not available to transport Year 6 children for insurance purposes, even if students have brothers or sisters currently attending The Buckingham School.

The Induction programme has been designed help your child:

- find out more about our school
- meet students who will be in their tutor group
- experience lessons in some of our curriculum areas.

On both days, your child will need to:

- bring a pencil case with them
- wear primary school uniform
- bring a PE kit with them
- bring money for lunch (approximately £3) or bring in a packed lunch.

On the first day of the Induction Programme, Tuesday 4 July, your child will meet their Form Tutor, mix with new friends and enjoy a full day of activities, including lessons.

We will start the second day with timetabled lessons, a reading comprehension assessment and then afterwards your child will experience team-building games and sports for the rest of the day. The days are intended to help prepare your child for September by making the School and our routines feel more familiar.

Cont'd....



BBQ in the school grounds at 5.00pm

You are invited to join us for an early evening BBQ which will take place on Tuesday 4 July at 5.00pm until 6.00pm, where there will be hot and cold food plus a selection of soft drinks available to purchase.

Induction Evening – from 6.00pm in the Jubilee Hall

We have planned an evening to provide more information about how we will be working with parents and children from September.

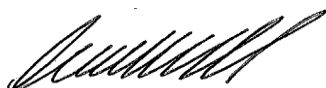
The format of the evening will be as follows:

- Welcome by Miss Wells, Headteacher and Miss Collie, Head of Year 7
- Meet the Tutor and receive additional paperwork
- Visit the 'market stalls' - information stands including Uniform (new and nearly new), Attendance and Welfare, Medical Staff and the School Nursing Team, SEN, Learning Resource Centre, and Admissions, to name a few.

We very much look forward to meeting you and your child and hope that you find the Induction Programme interesting and informative.

In the meantime, if you have any queries regarding the Induction programme or in relation to your child starting at The Buckingham School in September, please do not hesitate to contact me on the details below, or Kate Bones, our Admissions Officer on ext 267 or at kbones@buckinghamschool.org.

Yours faithfully,



Miss C Collie
Head of Year 7
ccollie@bucksgfl.org.uk
Ext. 236

