# Welcome to Hawkley!

**Head of Year: Mrs Holland** 

**Assistant Head of year: Mrs Ali** 

**Student Support Officers:** 

Mrs Fulster: Mon – Wed

Mrs Mannion: Thursday & Friday

7H	Mr Tickle
7A	Mrs Shanahan
7W	Mrs Spear
7K	Mrs Crawford
7L	Mr Miller
<b>7E</b>	Mrs Owen
<b>7Y</b>	Miss Higham
<b>7</b> S	Ms Astbury







## Some words from our current Y7s

'I thought the school was really big to start with but I got used to it quickly and there is always someone to ask when you can't find somewhere' James Y7

'There are lots of things to do
as well as lessons. I go to
Inclusion and play games with
my friends'
Logan Y7

'You get to do lots of subjects and try new things' Amelia Y7 'The school is very friendly. My teachers always offer to help me when I need it'

Connor Y7



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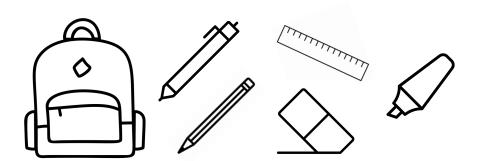
#### How are form groups arranged?

- Close liaison with primary schools
- Friendship groups where possible
  - Gender split
- Distribution of children of different abilities
- Only Humanities subjects, drama and music taught in form groups in Y7



## A typical day

First bell	8.40 am	
Engagement	8.45– 9.10 am	
period		
Period 1	9.10 – 10.10 am	
Period 2	10.10 – 11.10 am	
Break	11.10 – 11.25 am	
Period 3	11.25 – 12.25 pm	
Lunch	12.25 – 12.57 pm	
First bell	12.57 pm	
Period 4	1.00 – 2.00 pm	
Period 5	2.00 – 3.00 pm	



	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri
	Miss A O'Brien	Mrs N Atherton	Mrs D J Jackson	Mrs J Mellor	Mrs C Owen
1	Geography	Art	English	French	Drama
_	A3	A15	A9	G1	E2
	Mrs J Gooden	Mr D Pell	Mrs C Ali	Mr C Parker	Mrs J Mellor
	Materials Tech	Music	Physical Ed.	History	French
2	H4	E4	Sports Hall	A4	G1
	Mrs J Mellor	Miss Sorry	Mrs J Langton	Mrs M Anderson	Mrs D Jackson
_	French	Religious Ed.	Science	Inform. Tech.	English
3	G1	A8	C8	A18	A9
	Mrs L. Neil	Mrs J Langton	Mr Abrahams	Mrs N Robinson	Mrs N Robinson
	Food Tech	Science	PD	Mathematics	Mathematics
4	F10	C8	A7	F4	F4
	Mrs C Ali	Mrs D. Jackson	Mrs N Robinson	Mrs G Barton	Mrs J Langton
5	Physical Ed	English	Mathematics	PD	Science
	Sports Hall	A9	F4	A18	C8















We understand that you have mobile phones that you will bring to school. However, they should not be seen or heard at any point in the school day. They should be switched off and in your bags. If you need to make contact with home, you can do this by visiting the SSO.





### Show my homework

- Most homework will be set on a system called Show My Homework you will be given a log in for this so that you can monitor your child's homework
- A table/desk set aside at home for your child to complete his/her homework would be a good idea. Parental involvement with homework is the key to ensuring that homework is completed.
  - To discuss your child's progress, or if you have a concern about a particular subject, please phone the office and ask for the subject teacher. They will more than likely be teaching and will get back to you as soon as they can.
  - You will receive three formal academic reports per year. More information will be given on these in September



#### **Microsoft Teams**



During the Covid-19 pandemic and school closure, we have very successfully used Microsoft Teams to deliver online lessons to students.

We will continue to use this in the new academic year, so where possible please try to familiarise yourselves with this over the summer break.



#### **Typical worries for Year 7**

- Getting lost
- Homework or classwork
- Dinner time
- Detentions
- Friendships and falling out
- Social media



## Try something new and get involved!



#### **Travel**

However you travel, be through the gate by 8.38!











## Positivity!





















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## What can you do to get ready?

#### **For My New Form Tutor**

My name is:	
The primary school I went to was	
The people I live with are	
My favourite things to do include	
My best friend is	
Things that I enjoy about school	

	at Hawkley Hall High School:
1.	
2.	
3.	

Throng things I am Ingling forward to about

Draw a picture of yourself, so that your form tutor can recognise you on the first day.

Three things I am nervous about starting at Hawkley Hall High School:		
1.		
2.		
3.		
What 2	things do you want your form tutor to	

know about you?

#### HHHS TRANSITION CHALLENGE – HOW MANY OF THESE TASKS CAN YOU COMPLETE BEFORE YOU START WITH US?

Your form tutor will be looking forward to hearing about how you did with these challenges on your first day, so bring the evidence along and you might win a prize! GOOD LUCK!

Try on your full uniform	Write down 3 things about yourself that you will share with others to make new friends	Set your alarm and try getting ready to see how long it takes you
Practice your journey to and from school	Practice changing from your uniform into your PE kit as quickly as you can! (How fast can you do it?)	Read the transition booklet
Practice packing your bag	Watch the form tutor welcome videos and think of some questions for your form tutor	Try some transition work from the 'things to do' tab on the website
Learn about the different subjects that we teach from our website and decide which you are most excited about	Read the Hawkley Way and try to remember some important phrases from it	Make a plan for your first morning.

