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Y6 Ì Y7 Transition Programme 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

As a learning community, with the needs of our children very much at its centre, we would like to extend a warm welcome to our new Y6 students as they move towards becoming a student at Wickersley School and Sports College. We look forward to working with you in the years ahead to ensure that your child achieves success and develops as an individual, both academically and socially.

As such we would like to invite you to a parents Core Subject Induction Evening at Wickersley School and Sports College on Thursday 25th April in order to meet some of the English, Maths and Science staff and find out more relevant information. We also have 2 other evening events for your child to attend. Our Year 6 Non-Core Information Evening on Thursday 16th May allows students to take part in taster sessions in their non-core subjects and on Tuesday 25th June students are invited into school to meet their tutors. You will receive more information about these events nearer the time and this will be shared with you via email.

Whilst we can make no promises, we will try to place pupils in the same tutor group as a chosen friend to help their transfer to Wickersley School and Sports College. You should be aware that, as the year progresses, in a number of subjects, students are placed in sets according to ability, so they may not always be with their chosen friend in these classes. Nevertheless, this is an ideal opportunity to make new friends and learn resilience - an important aspect of school life.

We are looking forward to many years of working with you and your child to ensure that you are fully informed and that they enjoy and benefit from a smooth and progressive transition to secondary school.

To aid a seamless transition, please visit our school website: https://www.wickersley.net/parents/transition/.

If you do not have access to the internet, please contact the school on 01709 542147 an 1.91sd1request a pack to be posted to your home a 1. 1.re