

June 2025

Dear Parent/ Carers,

We really enjoyed meeting all our new parents at our Welcome Evening last Thursday and we hope you found the event useful. For any parents who were unable to attend, the tutor PowerPoint and speeches are shared on our school website for you to view. Our transition area can be found on our homepage drop down menu, under the parent tab.

Student Welcome Days

24th and 25th June 8.45am- 3.15pm

A reminder our student Welcome Days are running next week, on Tuesday 24th and Wednesday 25th June. Each tutor group will be following their own personalised timetable for the two days, experiencing a range of different Year 7 curriculum 'taster lessons'. They will also have the opportunity to meet their tutor and follow a treasure hunt to help them learn their way around the school.

Both days will be starting at 8.45am and finishing at 3.15pm. We request students arrive for 8.45am, enter through main reception where they will then be directed to the hall to sit in their tutor groups, prior to the day starting. We encourage parents not to wait outside the school gate after dropping off students, to avoid crowds and congestion along Croft Road.

Students will need to wear their **primary school PE kits** on both days. It is due to be very warm, plus quite a few tutor groups will be having a PE taster lesson at some point across the two Welcome Days.

Students will also need to bring a pencil case and packed lunch with them both days and a spare bottle of water and sun cream due to the warm weather.

At 3.15pm we will be dismissing students for the day. We encourage parents not to park outside the school, along Croft Road but to arrange to pick up their child somewhere nearby. Alternatively, students can walk home. Croft Road can become very busy, so we do ask that parents are considerate of our neighbours when making pick up arrangements.

Sports Camp

Please be aware we still have places available for our Summer Sports Camp which is taking place on the 23rd to the 25th July, 10am – 3pm. If you wish to sign up your child you can do this via Parent Mail. If your child receives Free School Meals, please do let us know and we can allocate them a place free of charge.

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We look forward to welcoming all our new students next Tuesday and please email the school on info@theappletonschool.org if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'B Cooper', written in a cursive style.

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