



John Colet School

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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 6 to 7 Transition

On behalf of our governors, staff and pupils I am delighted to welcome you to the John Colet School.

I thought I would let you know what will be happening over the next couple of months in preparation for your child's move to John Colet School in September 2026.

Our Transition Team will aim to visit your child in their Primary School during May and June or, for students from our smaller feeder schools, you will be offered the opportunity to attend a pre-induction morning with your child. As well as talking to the children, our staff will talk with their Year 6 teachers to gain more information about your child.

Our admissions process is completed electronically and you will be sent all information and paperwork via email. If you would prefer to use an alternative or additional email address, please email year7transition@johncolet.co.uk as soon as possible. No action is required if you are happy for us to use the address provided. It is vital that we have the correct email address for you.

Key dates for your information:

- **Saturday 27 June** - Uniform (including PE kit) sale and ordering in the John Colet Hall 10am-1pm.
- **Tuesday 7 and Wednesday 8 July** - Year 6 Induction Days at John Colet School 9am-2.30pm. Please arrange to drop off and pick up your child at these times, allowing plenty of time to park and walk to the school as there will be no parking available on the site. Students should wear their current school uniform. They will require a packed lunch on the first day (**with no nut/peanut products please**). An optional hot meal will be provided on the second day. They will also need a water bottle, notebook and pen. A PE kit is not required.
- **Tuesday 7 July** – Year 6 parents evening in the John Colet Hall, for parents with their first child at John Colet; the evening will begin promptly at 6.30pm. There will be an opportunity to find out more about the school and meet with key members of the school staff. New parents are always welcome to become involved with the school through the PTA, who will be available at the parents evening.
- **Thursday 3 September** – beginning of term at John Colet for students in Years 7 and 12.

You may also want to know our INSET days for **2026/2027** as I know that parents/carers like these dates as early as possible. They will be:

- **Friday 2 October 2026**
- **Monday 4 January 2027**
- **Friday 30 April 2027**

There is also a Bank Holiday in Term Time, on **Monday 3 May 2027**.

The information pack and the parents' evening in July should answer most of your questions. If you have any specific questions, worries, or if there is any information that you would like to make us aware of please contact the school, preferably via an email to year7transition@johncolet.co.uk, with brief details of any queries or concerns. This will be directed to the relevant person.

We look forward to working in partnership with you over the coming years.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in purple ink, appearing to read 'I. Brierly', with a horizontal line underneath.

Ian Brierly
Headteacher

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ALLERGY ALERT



We are a NUT FREE School.

**Please do not send in products containing
any type of nuts/peanuts.**

**This includes peanut butter, cereal bars and
snicker type chocolate bars.**