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## BEDFORD HIGH SCHOOL

A Specialist Business and Enterprise College  
with Applied Learning  
Headteacher: Mrs H J Phillips

14<sup>th</sup> June 2021

Dear *Parent/Guardian*

### Changes to Induction Day & New Parents and Guardians Information Evening

Due to the rise in new variant cases of Covid-19 in the borough in recent weeks and based on our risk assessment, we have made the decision to delay the New Year 7 Induction Day to Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2021 when Year 7 will have a full day in school with no other year groups.

Before September, to support transition from Year 6 and to give your child the opportunity to experience Bedford High School, we are offering the chance to take part in a range of exciting activities in our week long Transition Summer School. This will enable us to keep to 1 unique bubble for young people to meet and make new friends, gain new and memorable memories and get to know the staff and our school site over the 5 days. Thanks to many of you for completing the booking form on the Bedford High School website. The link to the website is <https://bedfordhighschool.co.uk/transition-summer-school-2021/>

The link to complete the form is <https://forms.office.com/r/gsHquRU2hB>. Please see the details below.

### Summer School Monday 26<sup>th</sup> July – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> July 8.30am - 2.30pm

Each day starts at 8.30am and ends at 2.30pm. Students should wear comfortable clothing and trainers suitable for practical workshops and bring a bag with pens, pencils, eraser and a ruler in a pencil case with enough water for the day. Lunch with a drink and 1 break time snack and drink will be provided. Students may bring their own food if preferred. **Parents/Guardians may book onto the Summer School for the full week or for a combination of days, to suit individual circumstances.** Dates are Monday 26<sup>th</sup> July – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> July. Please note that we hope to celebrate and share the week's fundays by publishing photographs, video and news from the activities on our website, @BedfordHighSch Twitter feed and on our Facebook @Bedford High School Live.

**The New Parents and Guardians Information Evening on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June at 6pm** will take place virtually, online with loom recordings from our new Headteacher, Mr P McCaffery, who takes up his post from September and the Year 7 Pastoral Manager, Mrs K Eaton. The main benefit of these recordings is that they enable you to play and replay them at your convenience and you have them for future reference.

Finally, I am delighted that you have chosen Bedford High School for the next phase of your child's education and I welcome you to our Bedford family.

Yours sincerely

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