

22<sup>nd</sup> June 2023

MONKSEATON  
HIGH SCHOOL

Dear Parent/Carer

### Transition information

As you will no doubt be aware the National Education Union (NEU) have proposed further industrial action with strikes planned to take place on Wednesday 05 July and Friday 07 July. Wednesday 05 July is the second transition day.

Following consultation with the other High and Middle School Headteachers in the Whitley Bay pyramid of schools we have taken the difficult decision that there will only be one transition day for Year 8. That **transition day will be Tuesday 04 July 2023**. There will not be a second day on Wednesday 05 July 2023.

The parent/carer transition information evening will go ahead as planned on **Wednesday 05 July 2023 from 5:30pm**.

I want to reassure you that your child will still have a full induction experience with us including a welcome assembly, time with their tutor and a range of other activities. There will be further induction activities planned for your child when they arrive in September to help them settle into our school.

#### A reminder about key details for the transition day on Tuesday 04 July 2023:

- Students should arrive at Monkseaton High School for 8:45am
- They should wear their current school uniform and they should bring their trainers to take part in a practical/sporting activity
- Lunch will be provided, although students may of course bring their own packed lunch should they wish
- Please ensure your child brings a drink

#### Transition Information Evening – Wednesday 05 July 5:30-7:00pm:

You and your child are invited to our transition information evening on **Wednesday 05 July**. There will be a presentation where you can find out more about what you can expect from MHS, and what you need to prepare for a successful and smooth start in September.

You can book your tickets for the presentation for either 5:30-6:00pm or 6:00-6:30pm via this link:

[https://bit.ly/MHS\\_transition](https://bit.ly/MHS_transition)

We are very much looking forward to meeting your child on Tuesday 04 July and parents/carers at the information evening on Wednesday 05 July. We are sure we will be able to answer all your questions at the information evening however if you have any queries before then, please don't hesitate to contact [kerry.davison@monkseaton.org.uk](mailto:kerry.davison@monkseaton.org.uk) or visit our website; [www.monkseaton.org.uk](http://www.monkseaton.org.uk)

Yours faithfully



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