

20th June 2022

Year 6 Taster Day & Parents' Evening

Dear **Parental Salutation**,

I'm writing to introduce myself as your child's Director of Learning for Year 7. I'm delighted to be welcoming a brand new cohort of students, and it has been wonderful to meet so many of you already during 1:1 transition meetings. If your meeting has not yet taken place, please do ensure you check the email sent from info@kaa.org.uk on 27th May with your meeting time.

Taster Day

We would like to invite **Student Name** to a Year 6 Taster Day at KAA on **Wednesday 6th July from 9.30am to 3:00pm**. This is the RBKC transition day across the borough so most Year 6 students will be visiting their secondary school on this day. We have also written to your child's primary school to inform them of the transition day. Please drop your child off at the front entrance of the academy at 9.30am and collect them again at 3pm. Lunch will be provided by the academy so please let us know if there are any allergy requirements that need to be addressed for your child by emailing info@kaa.org.uk in advance and no later than Friday 1st July. Please make sure that your child is in their current primary school uniform.

If **Student Name** requires any medications please ensure you include these details in an email to info@kaa.org.uk, you can then leave the medication in a durable plastic bag on the Taster Day, with your child's full name and clear instructions on how to administer it (please also indicate clearly if any medications require to be refrigerated).

The Taster Day is designed to provide your child with a flavour of what KAA school life is about; our routines, systems, culture and so on. They will have taster sessions in English, Science, Drama, Dance, Music and Art. We hope that students will benefit from this taster day as it will provide them with opportunities to ask any questions and address any queries they may have about this exciting next chapter of their lives.

Year 6 Parents' Information Evening

This is a very important event which all parents and students must attend on **Wednesday 6th July from 6.00pm-7.00pm** at KAA. The event will provide you with detailed information about KAA and also an opportunity for parents to ask any questions they have to myself and the Principal directly. Students should attend with their parents in their full current school uniform.

Summer School Programmes

We are pleased to announce that throughout the summer holidays KAA will be offering a series of camps aimed at students starting with us in September. These are **all free** and will be a wonderful chance for your child to get out of the house, meet other children coming to KAA, and get used to the academy building and culture. **Please note that places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.** Final details of these camps, running from Monday 25th July to Friday 12th August, will be shared with parents shortly, including details of how to request a place for your child.

With best wishes,



Radhika Chauhan
Director of Learning Year 7