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## To Parents of all Year 8 Pupils

Dear Parents/Guardians

### Middle School Induction Morning – Tuesday 3 September 2019

There will be an induction morning for all students entering Year 9 at the start of the Autumn term.

The morning's programme will focus on the important issues that face the students as they enter and progress through the Middle School. These include standards of behaviour, differences in the teaching, assessment of work, and the development of the progress file as they progress through their GCSE studies. By raising these issues we hope to minimise the problems and anxieties that can arise at this time.

In order to minimise curriculum disruption, some boys will have their Year 9 individual photographs taken on this day. To enable this, 9J need to arrive from 8:30 am onwards and proceed to the allocated room, which will be clearly signposted on the board outside the Chapel Block.

All other boys need to assemble outside the Chapel for a 9.00 am start.

Boys will receive a short talk from:

- Mr C Higson – Senior Tutor
- Mrs Fern Wilson – School Nurse
- Mrs S Armstrong – Independent Careers Adviser

Boys will be dismissed at or shortly after 12.00 pm. The dining hall will be open at lunchtime so boys can stay for lunch in school if they wish.

This induction morning will be followed by an informal parent/tutor social on Thursday 12 September at 6:00pm. You will receive further details about this at the beginning of next term.

I look forward to working with you over the next three years.

Yours sincerely

Mrs M J Jenner  
Head of Middle School