

8th July 2022

RE: Year 7 Next Steps

Dear Parent/Carer,

I would like to thank you for attending the city-wide Transition Day at JQA on Wednesday 6th July. Students worked together, took on new challenges such as cookery and drama, were kind and courteous to all adults and each other and produced some brilliant work! They truly have shown they are CORE students at their heart already.

We would like to share with you the next steps. Firstly, it is important you have shared all details and completed all the necessary paperwork with our **Admissions Officer, Mrs Abdulla**. You can come into our Reception on Albion St between 8.30am and 3pm or email smahmood@corejewelleryquarter.academy

Summer School – Monday 25th July 2022 – Thursday 28th July 2022

We have a fantastic opportunity for our new Year 7 students to continue to make new friends before they arrive in September and build on the strong start they have made to life at JQA. Our Transition Summer School is run by Aspire Sports and has a wide range of activities for students. It's easy to sign up and you can sign your child up for these 4 days by going to: <https://tinyurl.com/JQASummerSchool22>

Starting School on Tuesday 6th September 2022

You will now be thinking ahead to September and purchasing your child's uniform and PE kit. There are two suppliers for this listed on our website here: <https://www.corejewelleryquarter.academy/school-life/uniform-equipment/> Clive Mark and Crested School Wear. We supplied all parents with discount vouchers for a uniform bundle at the Transition Day. We are looking forward to those 'first day photos' with your child looking smart in the gold tie and navy blazer and our traditional blue shirts on Tuesday 6th September as we welcome them warmly at the Pope St gate. Students will start at 8.15.

I have also attached the link to our **Family Handbook** on the 'Parent' page on the website, which has all you need to know about supporting your child to succeed at JQA: <https://www.corejewelleryquarter.academy/wp-content/uploads/sites/8/FamilyHandbookFinal2022-23.pdf>

Thank you for choosing JQA for your child and I look forward to continuing to work with you in partnership so all our children go on to shine in society and become the leaders of tomorrow.

Yours Sincerely,



Mr J Barton - Headteacher