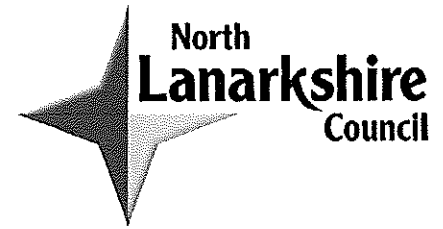


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### Primary 7 Transition Event – Cardinal Newman High School Visit

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The dates for the P7 visit are confirmed as Wednesday 2 and Thursday 3 of May 2018. All pupils should report to Cardinal Newman High School no later than 8.50am each morning in their full primary school uniform. They will be guided to their social area and their day will begin at 8.55am. Pupils will have the opportunity to use the cashless canteen facility. All pupils will receive a free school meal on both days but pupils will be required to access their own pin number which will be issued by the primary school and again on the day of the visit. It would be beneficial if pupils can bring a snack for interval time however they will be given a chance to load money onto their account if they wish to buy any additional food and drink during interval or lunchtime, please ensure they have coins for this rather than notes. Pupils can of course bring a packed lunch to eat in the canteen area.

#### Wednesday 2 May

Pupils will be met at the entrance to the school by their S3 guides. They will be placed in classes, registered and escorted to the theatre period 1. Here they will meet with myself and their pupil support teachers and be given the program for the days ahead. The S3 pupils assigned to each class will act as their guides both for the visit and in August.

Periods 2-4 pupils will attend lessons in various subjects.

Periods 5-6 all pupils will take part in a sports afternoon. They will require a PE kit (trainers/tracksuit or shorts/t-shirt and appropriate outside clothing – be prepared for wet weather!!!) Pupils will change in the PE department and will be dismissed at 2.55pm.

**Wednesday 2 May – P7 Disco in the main building (entrance and exit via the main gate only) from 6.30-8.00pm. This event is free to attend and there will be a tuckshop available. All pupils are expected to attend. (Please ensure you have appropriate arrangements in place for pupils to be picked up or escorted home at 8pm)**

#### Thursday 3 May

The school day will begin as normal from their social areas with their S3 guides. Periods 1-6 pupils will follow their timetables and attend various subjects like a normal school day.

Period 7 – Pupils will meet with myself and members of the pupil support team and be dismissed at 3.15pm.

If you foresee any difficulties with these arrangements please alert your child's P7 teacher in the first instance and we can answer any questions you may have.

I look forward to welcoming your children here for their 2 day visit and continuing with the transition program until they begin S1 in August.

Yours faithfully,

Mandy Murray  
Acting Depute Head Teacher