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Dear Parent/Carer

As part of the primary to secondary transition programme, Primary 7 pupils have been invited to visit Airdrie Academy, on the morning of Friday, 4 November 2022.

The children will travel to and from Airdrie Academy by bus, leaving school at 9.10am and returning to school by 12 noon. Staff will accompany the children to and from Airdrie Academy and they will be supervised during the visit by Airdrie Academy staff also.

The activity will be a SPYQUEST challenge: Superspy Camp. SPYQUEST staff will deliver a fun workshop for pupils which will involve a number of activities designed to develop key skills including problem solving, communication, planning and strategic thinking. Children will be put into teams of approximately 5 and each team will have two escorts.

In their teams, pupils will work together to overcome a number of problems and obstacles. They will be asked to work on approximately eight challenges, with a few surprises thrown in. By the end of the morning, the children should be familiar with all departments within the school, know their way around the building and be able to recognise a number of key staff members.

School uniform should be worn. Please provide your child with a morning snack and drink. They will get their lunch when they return.

We are sure the children will have a great time at Airdrie Academy and will learn some valuable skills to support their transition to High School.

Yours Sincerely

Mrs M Reid

Head Teacher (Acting)

