

## Dear Parents and Guardians

I am delighted to welcome you and your child to Leighton Park School and Fryer House. The main focus of our dedicated and enthusiastic team in Fryer is to ensure that our new students settle in quickly, feel happy and start their new school experience positively. Our transition events are integral to this, therefore please see an overview of events on the reverse of this letter. We look forward to welcoming you when you can join us.

Fryer House has an exceptionally well-qualified, experienced and welcoming team of staff to support your child. Our staff have the highest expectations of themselves as professionals as well as of the students they will be teaching and taking care of during the year. While one tutor will be directly responsible for your child, we work as a team and will all be involved in making sure that all the children settle well and feel safe, secure and happy.

Your first point of contact for any questions or concerns is your child's tutor, as they are best placed to answer issues of an academic, pastoral, sport or co-curricular nature. You will receive an email from your child's tutor early in the new term to introduce themselves directly to you and there will be an opportunity to meet all of the tutors at our transition events.

## **Starting at Leighton Park**

Details of everything that you should need to know prior to your child joining Leighton Park, including dress code, structure of the day, can be found here: https://www.leightonpark.com/newstarters/

The majority of communication from the School will be electronic. In addition to our weekly eBulletin (Wednesdays) which provides key information for the weeks ahead, we have 'My School Portal' which is a website enabling you to keep track of all things Leighton Park. It offers access to the School calendar including sports fixtures and your child's co-curricular clubs, provides the Parent Evening Bookings, and a wealth of reference information.

We believe that we can only achieve the best for our students by close co-operation between parents/guardians, students and the School and look forward to an enjoyable and fulfilling relationship in the coming years as we work together.

Please do not hesitate to let us know if there is anything we can do to assist your child in starting their new adventure as part of Fryer House at Leighton Park School.

Kind regards

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