



From Middlemaster: Andrew Crisp

8 June 2018

Dear 2<sup>nd</sup> Year parents

*3<sup>rd</sup> Year induction day Monday 3 September 2018*

I would like to start by introducing myself. My name is Andrew Crisp and I will be taking over from Rev'd Gooding as Head of the Middle School from September. Please may I ask you to make a note of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Year induction day on **Monday 3 September**, the day before the autumn term starts. This will be in addition to the induction event that we will be running on Tuesday 26 June.

We will be starting the day with some fun team building activities as we are conscious that boys will have just returned from their summer holidays and it will be important to break the ice with fellow tutees before term gets fully underway. Boys should wear school uniform for this day. In addition, please can you ensure that your son brings the following items: school games kit, a waterproof jacket, his pencil case, a padlock and spare key on a keyring labelled with his name.

A central part of the day will be the time the boys spend with their tutor who will be a key pastoral contact within their house groups. Their tutor will be on hand throughout the day to help guide boys through various pieces of information before the start of term. These will include health and safety matters, ICT, the careers guidance programme, Other Half choices, the timetable and homework as well as other matters.

Please note that **school buses will not be operating that day**, so please can you bear in mind that boys will need to make their own way into school for 9am. Refreshments for parents will be provided at 4pm when your sons can be collected. There will be a separate opportunity for parents to meet their son's tutor and Housemaster at a social event on Thursday 20 September, and I will be in touch with details about this in due course.

I hope this gives you sufficient notice to make holiday and pre-term plans. I look forward to welcoming your sons into the Middle School later in the year.

Kind regards

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