



## Woodside High School

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11<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Dear parents/careers of:

«Pupil\_Name»

I hope that this letter finds you and your family well. It is a very busy time at Woodside High School as our students prepare for their GCSE examinations in Year 11. For the rest of the school we have all the students' usual learning combined with some of our summer events such as sports day, school shows, trips and careers events. We are sending our weekly newsletter to help you get a taster for life at Woodside, please follow the link. <https://bit.ly/WHSNews307>

We are also getting ready for our New Year 7s with lots of preparation taking place. Our new head of year has been visiting primary schools with our SENDCo to find out about the young people, their talents, interests and what will support them moving to secondary school. On our transition evenings you will have the opportunity to share with our staff any further questions and information on your child you may wish to share

Message from Mr Katari - Head of Year 7

*I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself as the new Head of Year 7. I am looking forward to working with the students in the build-up to the start of their journey at Woodside High School and really excited for them to start in September. Furthermore, I look forward to getting to know you better so that we can work together to support the students in having a positive secondary school experience. My main priority when working with the students throughout their secondary school journey will be to support them in growing into mature, confident individuals who will be the best version of themselves.*

The big date for your child is transition day, we will have our new form tutors available and students will meet their form groups. The key aim is to get them to know about secondary school. We are also now open for bookings for free places at summer school. Many families will have summer plans, but if you are in London, it's a great way for the new Year 7s to get to know one another, have learning opportunities and get to know the school. Furthermore, its free with lunch provided, what's not to like!

Please see overleaf for our key date information of upcoming events.

Head Teacher: Ms Angela Wallace



I am so excited to meet all our young people. Do get in contact at any point if you have any questions, queries or requests.

Kind regards,



Angela Wallace

### **Key dates**

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June -SEND Taster day

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July -Transition day- involving all students in Year 6, on this day students will visit the school

Tuesday 5th July - School performance

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> - Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July - Admission interviews 4 - 6.30pm

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> - Friday 29<sup>th</sup> July - Summer school

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September - Start of school year - Year 7 only

Welcome coffee morning - Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September