



Transition

to secondary school

Student name:

We can't wait to meet you!

WELCOME...

We are delighted that you are going to be joining us at Teesdale School and Sixth Form. We understand that starting a new school is an exciting time, but also an anxious time. We are going to do everything we can to make sure you are fully supported.

We have high standards and expectations and you will play a key part in shaping the school's future. You are very welcome into our school community and we are looking forward to meeting you, at some point, in the near future.

We hope you find this booklet enjoyable to complete and we look forward to getting to know you better as a result of your answers. Please bring this with you on your first day in September and hand it to your form tutor.

Take care and we look forward to meeting you all soon.



Mrs C Ellis
Head of School

HOW ARE YOU FEELING?

Everyone feels differently about starting a new school. Some people feel excited, some nervous. How do you feel and why? Describe or draw about how you feel.



Things I'm worried about...

Things I'm looking forward to...



However you're feeling, you're not alone. There will be lots of people here to help you and lots of friends to make. If you have any questions, just ask!

MY TIME AT PRIMARY SCHOOL

What did you do last year that you will remember for the rest of your life?

What is something you accomplished last year that you are proud of? Why?

What was the highlight of your school year?

What was the nicest thing someone did for you last year?

What was the highlight of your year outside of school?

What is the nicest thing you have done for someone else?

What was the most challenging part of last year for you?

If you could change one thing that happened last year, what would it be?

What did you learn last year? List everything you can think of!

MY TIME AT PRIMARY SCHOOL

What is something that was hard for you in Year 6 but is easy now?

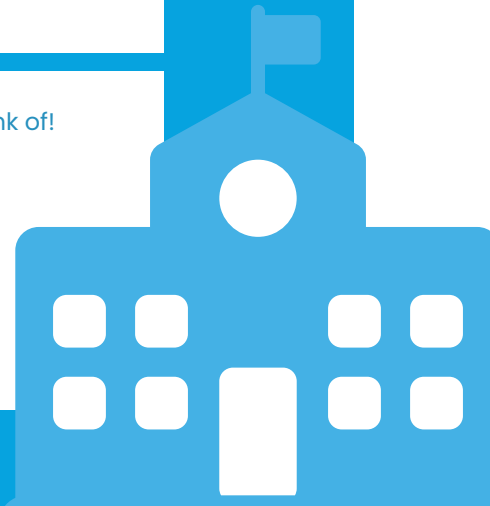
In what area do you feel you made your biggest improvements?

Of the books you read in Year 6, which was your favourite? Why?

What was the best piece of work that you did last year?

Which person (staff or student) at your old school made the biggest impact on your life? Why?

What is your favourite memory from last year?



MY FAVOURITE...

TV show	Music artist/group	Book
Place	Friends	Hobby
Sport	Subject	Colour
Film	Actor	Food
Phrase or saying	Trip or event	Teacher

LOOKING FORWARD...

What are you looking forward to the most at Teesdale School and Sixth Form?

What subject are you looking forward to and why?

What clubs will you join this year?

LOOKING FORWARD...

What are your biggest concerns or worries?
How will you overcome them?



THINKING ABOUT NEXT YEAR

How are you going to prepare for Year 7?



MY GOALS

Personal goals

How can I be a better family member, friend or member of the community?

Academic goals

How can I improve at school?



Ultimate goal: When I leave school I want to...



THIS IS ME...

**Draw a picture which you feel represents you as a person and explain underneath why!
For example, maybe you're an elephant because you have an excellent memory!!**

Hi!





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