

Oakgrove School

Year 6 into 7 Transition Booklet

2023 Transition



Excellence, Innovation, Respect

Student Name:

Tutor Group:

House:

Welcome!

Welcome to Transition day! We understand that you are probably both excited and nervous about today as well as joining such a big school in September. Hopefully today will calm some of those nerves so you can start your new school ready to learn.

We have organised lots of activities today that we hope will give you a flavour of what to expect in September. During the day you will need to carry your booklet with you, make sure you get your timetable stamped at the end of each session - this is good practice for next year!

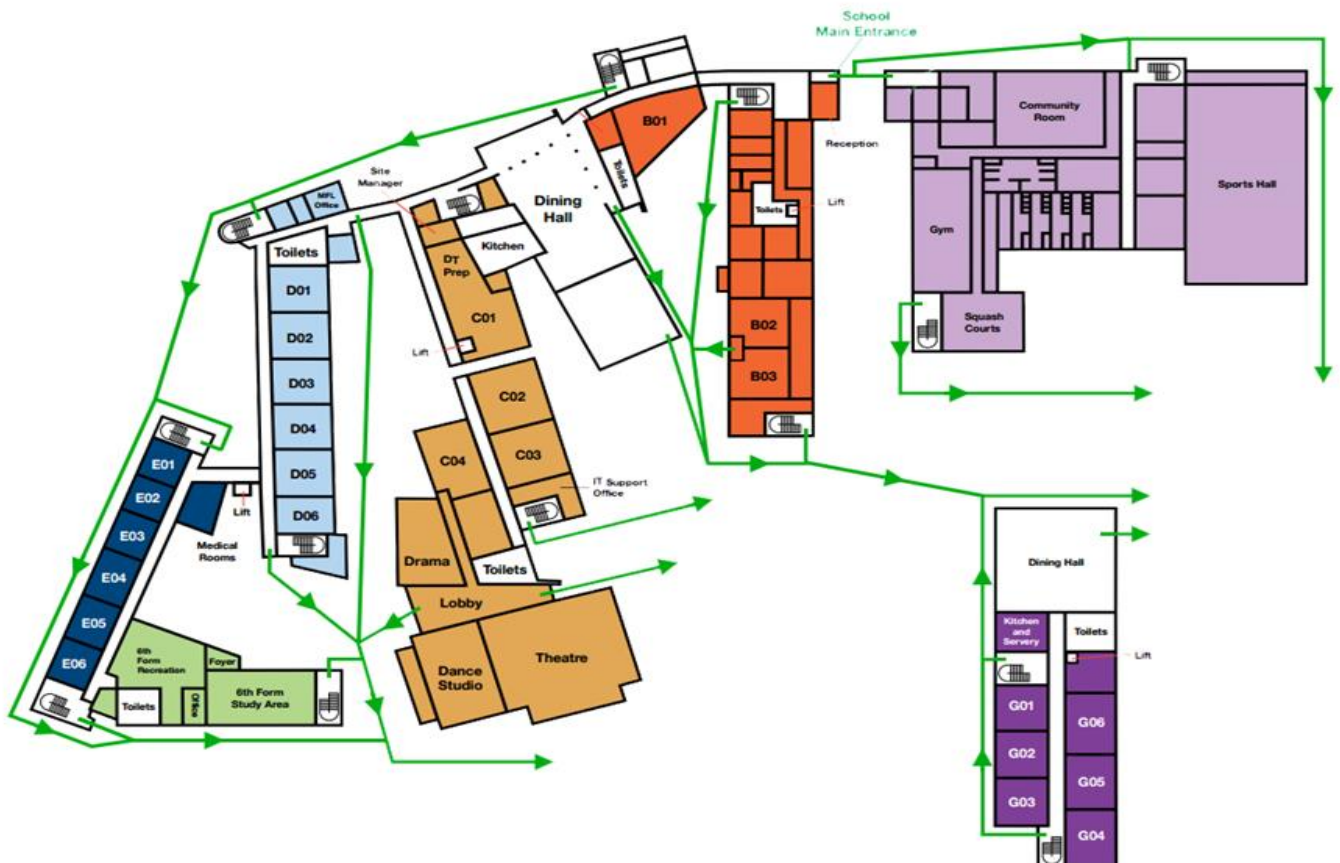
If you have any problems during the day, please put your hand up and speak to your teacher. Please participate fully in all activities today, and use the opportunity to ask any questions.

We hope that you have a great day.

Mrs Ryder - Head of Year 7

Mrs Naylor – Assistant Head of Year 7

Mrs Adamson- Pastoral Assistant



Transition Day Timetable:

Please fill in your timetable with help from your tutor

My Tutor _____ **My Form** _____

Time	Subject	Room	Stamp
9-10	Arrival at school and Assembly	Theatre	
10-11	Form time		
11-1130	Break		
11:30-12:00			
12:00-12:30			
12:30 -13:00	Lunch	meet outside theatre at 1pm	
13:00-13:30	Form time		
13:300-14:00			
14:00-14:30	assembly	Theatre (line up outside)	

Tutor Time

1. Write three words to describe your feelings about coming to Oakgrove this morning.
2. Write three words to describe your first impressions of Oakgrove.
3. Write or draw anything that you are worried about Oakgrove.
4. Write or draw anything that you are looking forward to.
5. Write down two questions that you would like to know about Oakgrove.
6. Write down names of 3 people you now know (not from your own primary school)

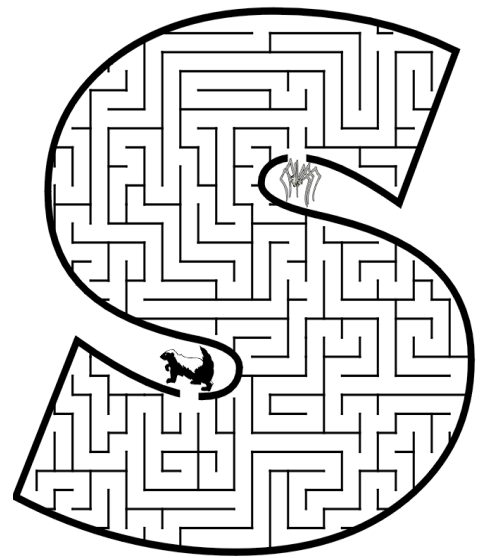
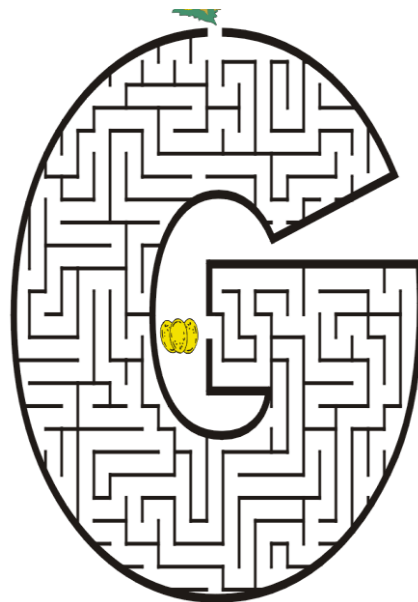
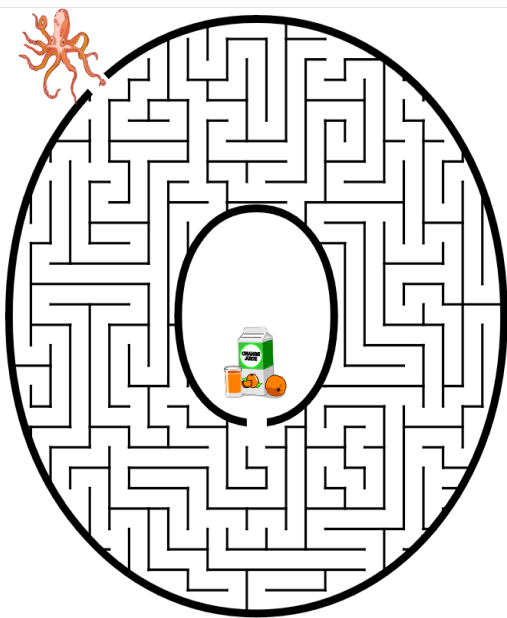


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CANTEEN
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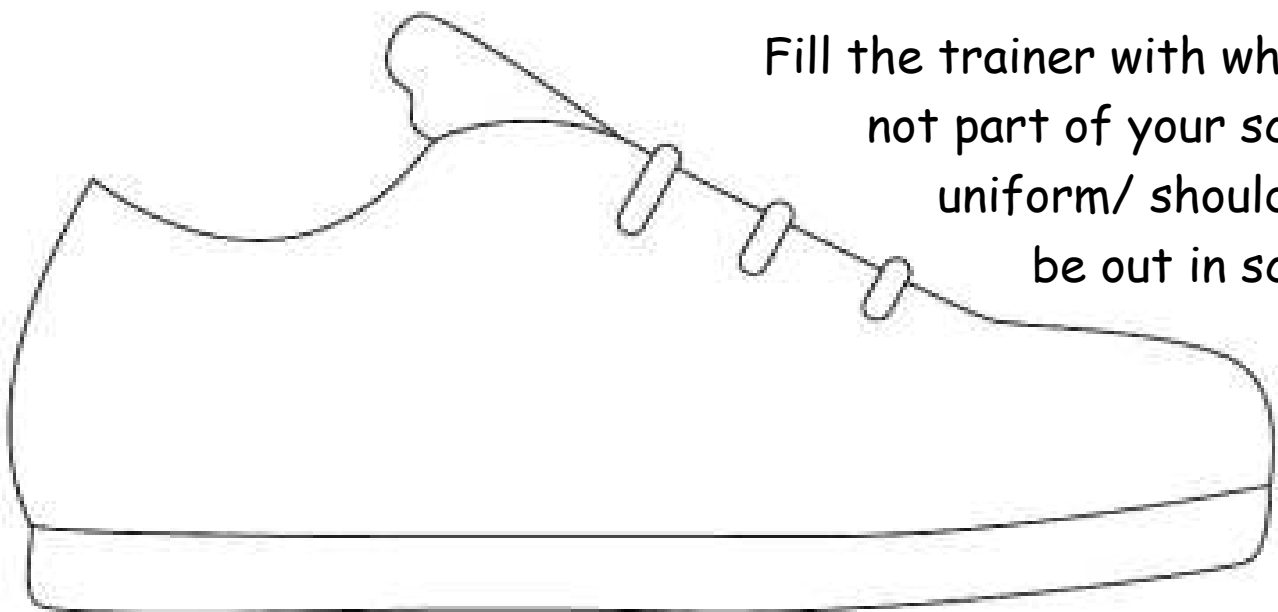
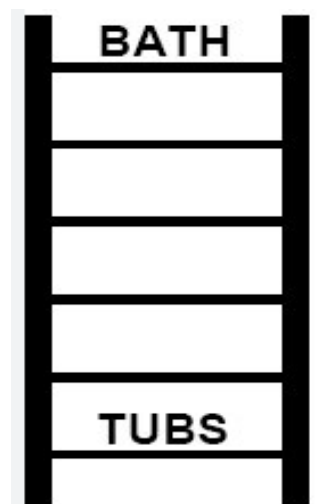
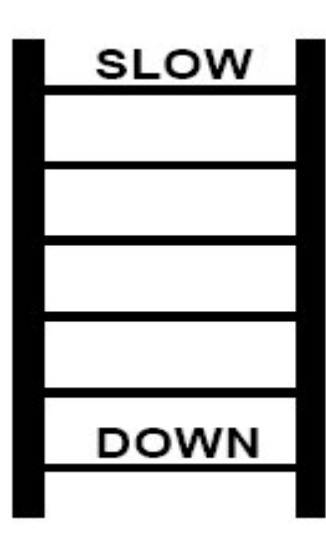
How many words can you make out of the words OAKGROVE SCHOOL

Can you make 410 using the number 25, 100, 9, 6, 4, 8



By only changing one letter on each rung of the ladder change the word at the top to be the word at the bottom

head
heal
teal
tell
tall
tail



Fill the trainer with what is not part of your school uniform/ should not be out in school

Notes and Questions

Add any notes you would like to remember for September or any questions you have for your tutor over the Summer Holidays.

Preparation for September 6th:

Task	Completed
Prepare stationary	
Get a water bottle	
Complete as many activities as possible from your homework menu	
Have a fun and relaxing summer	

Stationary:

- 2x black/blue pens**
- 1x other coloured pen**
- 2 x pencil**
- 1x pencil sharpener**
- 1 x ruler**
- 1x rubber**
- 1x set of coloured pencils**
- 1 x glue stick**
- 1 x reading book**

Google Classroom

Oakgrove School uses Google Classroom. As a year team we are keen to support you to have all the information you need in one place. When you start at Oakgrove there will be a Google classroom for Year 7, we will share important information with you via this.

Within the first week of starting, you will be given an email address that you can use to log into Google classroom. Your teachers will also use Google classroom to put up homework, extension tasks and resources for your lessons.

Don't worry about this for now - we will speak more about it in September.

THE FIRST SCHOOL DAY: SEPTEMBER 6th 2023

On the first day the gates will open at 8.20 am. You then need to make your way to the outside of the Theatre, meet your tutor and line up like you did on transition day (there will be letters for each form, so you know where to stand).

Do not worry if you are not sure of where to go there will be somebody to show you the way. Mr Tett (Headteacher), Mr Boon (Senior Deputy Headteacher) and Mrs Ryder (Head of Year) will speak to you all and then your Form Tutor will take you to your form room.

You will be given your timetable and your student planner. There will then be time set aside for you to speak to your form tutor, the other members of your form and have a tour of the school.

The librarian has recommended some good books for you to read over the Summer - they are all based around transition and Secondary School.

Also have a look at some of the homework activities over the summer and bring them to pass to your form tutor - you will receive a merit for each task you complete!

Books about transition to secondary school



Can you see me? Libby Scott and Rebecca Westcott - Tally is autistic and she is about to begin secondary school. This book beautifully brings to life the difficulties young people feel about fitting in and negotiating friendships as they start a new chapter in their life.

The boy who made everyone laugh by Helen Rutter – Billy has a problem which will strike a chord with many: he is about to start secondary school and knows that it will be all too easy for him to become a target for bullies because of his stammer. Both touching and funny this is a brilliant story about being brave, being different and learning that being you is what really matters.

Jamie by L.D. Lapinski - Jamie Rambeau is a happy 11-year-old non-binary kid who likes nothing better than hanging out with their two best friends Daisy and Ash. But when the trio find out that in Year Seven they will be separated into one school for boys and another for girls, their friendship suddenly seems at risk.

Being Miss Nobody by Tamsin Winter - Rosalind hates her new secondary school. She's the weird girl who doesn't talk. The Mute-ant. And it's easy to pick on someone who can't fight back. So Rosalind starts a blog - Miss Nobody; a place to speak up, a place where she has a voice.

The amazing Edie Eckhart by Rosie Jones - We follow the transition from primary to secondary school of Edie, a schoolgirl with cerebral palsy, and her best pal Oscar. The book touches upon coming of age, making friends, trying new things, and of course one of the main narratives of the book, inclusion.

Finding her feet by Eve Ainsworth (Dyslexia friendly) - A shy but talented footballer navigates challenging friendships and anxiety at school in this touching tale.

Finding my voice by Aoife Dooley (Graphic novel) - Frankie is different, and so is her best-friend, Sam. So when they both start secondary school, it's tough. Particularly when there are so many rules to follow.

Go big by Matthew Burton (non-fiction) - whether you're about to land at secondary school or you're still settling in, Mr Burton is here to guide you through your journey – worry-free.



Take Away Homework!



Choose your homework from the menu below:

The Perimeter suggests the difficulty or challenge of the homework.



Draw your route to school along with a back up route	Complete a diary of 1 week of your holidays	Learn the first 10 digits of Pi
Learn to tie a tie 2 ways	Write a 200 word story	Make a 1 page fact file on a country of your choice
Learn your route to school and time it	Write a review of a book you have read	Make a poster about you
Learn to tie a tie	Read a book	Write a list of things you enjoy