

Dear Primary 7s,

My name is Ashton and I am in 1.4. I am writing to you because moving to high school is a big change and sadly this year you will not get your induction days. So here is a letter about my experience and what expect at St Andrews Academy.

When I was a P7 like you I was excited for school because I wanted to do new things and to be challenged. Even though I was excited I was still nervous because of the amount of people and if I would get lost or not. When I started school, those nerves went away, and I was just left with excitement.

On your first few days you should expect that the S5s will collect you at the end of your class and take you to your next class so you can start to learn where your different classes are. You should also expect that you change classes every 50 minutes and on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday you have 7 classes and on Wednesday and Friday you have 6 classes. High school is quite different to primary school because there are more people, you have at least 13 different teachers and 3 days a week you finish school at 3:40pm and 2 days of the week you finish at 2:50pm.

You have 13 different subjects and overall, I enjoy the variation of subjects, but my favourite subjects are ICT, Maths, Science, Spanish and P.E. Reasons why I like these subjects are they are enjoyable, I like learning new things in them and being challenged in them.

St Andrew Academy gives you a range of activities to do at lunch and after school. Some of these activities are football, badminton, Lego robotics, art club, science club, comic and creative writing club and enterprise club. I take part in art and science club because science is one of my favourite subjects and I have fun at both clubs.

Overall, St Andrews is a great school because the staff respect you and help you when you need help. The best thing about St Andrews is that the give you a

variation of activities and subjects which allows you to see what you like to do. When you start S1 you can look forward to the trip opportunities, meeting your teachers and the different subjects.

When you start S1 do not be nervous because you will have a great year ahead of you and if you get stuck with the work just ask for help instead of sitting there being stuck. Enjoy yourself and work hard.

If you have any problems with the work or someone is annoying you, you can speak to your guidance teacher, your teachers or other members of staff.

Thank you for reading my letter.

Kind regards,

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