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HESSLE HIGH SCHOOL MOVING UP GUIDE

A HELPFUL GUIDE FOR STUDENTS



WELCOME TO HESSLE HIGH SCHOOL

Welcome to Hessle High School and Sixth Form College.

We are very excited that you will be joining our school community as a Year 7 student in September.

For some of you that will be exciting and, for others, it may be an anxious time, so here at Hessle High School & Sixth Form College, we have prepared this 'Moving Up Guide' just for you and all the other students like you who are joining us in September.

Whether you are moving up with lots of friends or you are the only person coming from your school, don't worry! This Guide will help answer lots of your questions - what to expect and what you'll need.



It might be a good idea to find time to sit down with the adults in your home and have a chat with them about it too. If you still have questions, we will answer them during Transition Week, which this guide will tell you about. In the coming weeks, we will keep in regular contact with you and your parents, sending you information by email.

We are really looking forward to meeting you and ensuring you become a really integral part of our school community.

For now, we hope that you continue to enjoy your time at your Primary School. Work hard, be kind to all of those around you and take advantage of all of the learning opportunities that you have around you.

From all of the staff at Hessle High School

VISION STATEMENT

MISSION STATEMENT:

‘Everyone can achieve the extraordinary’



Respect

We respect ourselves; we respect each other; we respect our diverse community and our environment.



Resilience

We are determined, we do not give up when things get tough. We persevere. We know that learning is often hard but we know that it will be worth it.



Aspiration

We aim high; we have ambitious expectations of ourselves and others. We believe that we can make a difference to our local community.



Responsibility

We take responsibility for our own actions; equally, we are not blamed when we make mistakes. We see mistakes as an opportunity to do it better next time.



Integrity

We do the right thing. We are honest with each other and ourselves. We are comfortable in ourselves and proud of our values.



Kindness

We treat each other with kindness, courtesy and have good manners.

OUR VISION FOR OUR PEOPLE:

All of our learners develop exceptional character.

Character that exemplifies a growth mind-set, a strong work ethic, confidence and high levels of grit, resilience and determination; ensuring they are fully prepared to flourish in an ever-changing world. (Based on our Values of Resilience, Respect, Responsibility, Integrity)

In every phase, all of our learners achieve excellent outcomes.

Following a broad and rich curriculum, our learners achieve high-quality qualifications that are valuable and enable them to progress to their future pathways and thrive on a global stage. (Aspiration, Integrity)

All of our learners develop high levels of cultural and global awareness.

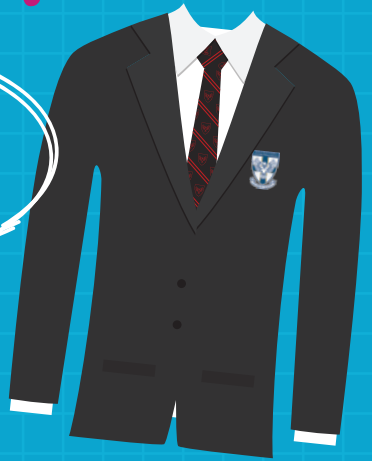
We promise all of our learners diverse experiences that enrich their lives, enabling them to engage in, and empathise with, the wonderful world beyond their local community. (Aspiration)

Our children, young people and adults will create positive and happy memories that last for a lifetime.

Through exceptional relationships, and rich and varied learning experiences, our learners will reflect on their schooldays truly as the 'best years of their lives'. (Respect, Aspiration, Kindness)

WHAT WILL BE DIFFERENT?

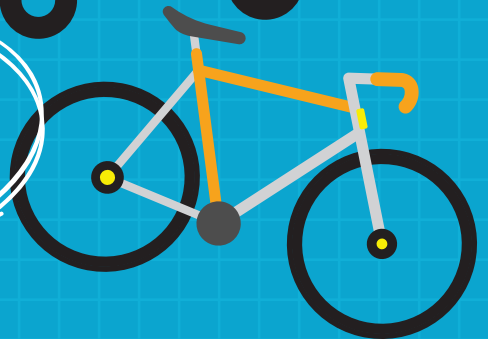
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SCHOOL TIMES



GETTING TO
SCHOOL

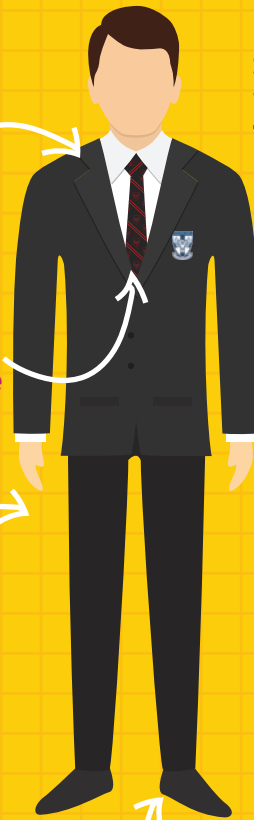


UNIFORM



House tie, must be worn with six visible stripes

Skirt, plain black knee length flared, pleated or A line



Blazer, black with school logo

Shirt, plain white, loose fitting

Trousers, plain black, full length, waist high, tailored

Shoes, plain black, leather or leather look, polishable

JEWELLERY / PIERCING

ONE SMALL, METAL STUD MAY BE WORN IN EACH EAR. NO OTHER JEWELLERY OR STUDS IN FACE/BODY SHOULD BE WORN

MAKE - UP

MUST NOT BE WORN IN SCHOOL

HAIRSTYLES

EXTREMES OF UNNATURAL HAIR COLOUR WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. STRIPE/PATTERNS, MOHICAN OR MOHAWK STYLES ARE NOT PERMITTED

SCHOOL DAY



Every day starts with tutor period, followed by five hour-long lessons.

Timings of the School Day

8:35	Tutor
8:55	Period 1
9:55	Period 2
10:55	Break
11:15	Period 3
12:15	Period 4
13:15	Lunch
14:00	Period 5
15:00	Finish
15:00 - 16:00	Period 6 - Optional extra curricular activities

YEAR 7 TIMETABLE

When you start you will be given a timetable which will tell you what classes you have and when they are.

Period

Day

	AMon	ATue	AWed	AThu	AFri
Tut	08:35 Tutorial Tut/Ca09 Miss K Moore	08:35 Tutorial Tut/Ca09 Miss K Moore	08:35 Tutorial Tut/Ca09 Miss K Moore	08:35 Tutorial Tut/Ca09 Miss K Moore	08:35 Tutorial Tut/Ca09 Miss K Moore
1	08:55 Drama 7L/Dr Mrs E Foster	08:55 Textiles 7cd/Tx3 Miss E Craft	08:55 Music 7L/Mu Mr M Leach	08:55 Science 7L/Sg Mrs Z S Edmond	08:55 Spanish 7L/De Mrs C Groak
2	9:55 History 7L/Hi Mr C Hossack	9:55 Drama 7L/Dr Mrs E Foster	9:55 Maths 7cd/Ma2 Mr C Minns	9:55 Eng Lang. 7cd/En1 Ms S E Stone	9:55 Maths 7cd/Ma2 Mr D Willson
3	11:15 Maths 7cd/Ma2 Mr D Willson	11:15 Geography 7L/Gg Mrs J Williamson	11:15 Phys Ed. 7cd/Pe2 Mrs R K Shiels	11:15 Geography 7L/Gg Mrs J Williamson	11:15 Eng Lang. 7cd/En1 Ms S E Stone
4	12:15 Science 7L/Sg Mr J Boyes	12:15 Eng Lang. 7cd/En1 Mrs M Davison	12:15 Science 7L/Sg Mrs Z S Edmond	12:15 Info Tech. 7L/It Mr P Scott	12:15 Art 7L/Ar Miss A Bleazard
5	14:00 Eng Lang. 7cd/En1 Mrs M Davison	14:00 Maths 7cd/Ma2 Mr D Willson	14:00 Eng Lang. 7cd/En1 Ms S E Stone	14:00 Maths 7cd/Ma2 Mrs J E Meir	14:00 Technology 7cd/Te3 Mrs D M Ward

Teacher

Subject

Room

Time

ARRIVING BY BUS

In this guide you will find a card for you to ride the bus for free during transition week. Please check our website for any changes to the routes prior to September.

BUS NUMBER No HI

Stop	Depart	Pick up Point	Return
1	7.50	Anlaby Road (HRI)	3.40
2	7.54	Selby Street	3.36
3	7.57	St Georges Road	3.33
4	8.00	Hessle Road (ASDA)	3.31
5	8.03	Hawthorn Avenue	3.27
6	8.07	Anlaby Road (Bell and Higgins)	3.23
7	8.09	Anlaby Road (Jobs Cycle Shop)	3.21
8	8.20	Arrive - Hessle High School	3.10

BUS NUMBER No H2

Stop	Depart	Pick up Point	Return
1	8.00	Anlaby Road/Saner Street	3.30
2	8.02	Anlaby Road/Granville Street	3.28
3	8.04	Anlaby Road/Glencoe Street	3.26
4	8.08	Anlaby Road/Hawthorn Avenue	3.23
5	8.10	Boothferry Road/North Road	3.21
6	8.12	Boothferry Road/Wistow Road	3.18
7	8.20	Arrive - Hessle High School	3.10

BUS NUMBER No H3

Stop	Depart	Pick up Point	Return
1	7.55	Anlaby Road (Belgrave Drive)	3.35
2	7.57	Anlaby Road (Lees Rest Home)	3.33
3	7.58	Anlaby Road (opposite Malham Avenue)	3.32
4	8.00	Anlaby Park Road North (Mead Walk)	3.30
5	8.01	Anlaby Park Road North (Roundway)	3.29
6	8.04	Anlaby Park Road North (Costello)	3.26
7	8.07	Gower Road	3.23
8	8.09	Bethune Avenue	3.21
9	8.11	First Lane (Kelston Drive)	3.19
10	8.13	Boothferry Road/Esso Garage	3.17
11	8.20	Arrive - Hessle High School	3.10

BUS NUMBER No H4

Stop	Depart	Pick up Point	Return
1	7.35	Spring Bank West/Halfway House	3.35
2	7.43	Anlaby Road/Jobes Cycles	3.29
3	7.46	Pickering Road/Sunbeam Road	3.26
4	7.55	Hessle High Road/Gloucester Street	3.23
5	7.57	Hessle High Road/The Bosun	3.22
6	7.59	Hessle High Road/Police Station	3.20
7	8.01	Hessle High Road/Fire Station	3.19
8	8.03	Hull Road/Prior to First Lane	3.18
9	8.06	Cottesmore Road/Gisburn Road	3.15
10	8.20	Arrive - Hessle High School	3.10

BUS NUMBER No 350

Depart	Pick up Point	Return
8.08	Barton Market Place	3.46
8.13	Barton Interchange	3.41
8.23	Humber Bridge North Approach	3.29

WHAT IS TRANSITION WEEK?

We believe that students benefit greatly by getting to know us prior to their official start in September.

Our induction process has been designed to ensure students adjust well into the school setting, encouraging them to begin secondary education with a positive attitude to learning.

Now that you are confirmed as a Hesse student, we will write to you and your parents regularly with information about your new school.

This builds up to the highlight of the induction process - Transition Week, which takes place between 19 and 21 July.

Over those three days, you will attend Hesse High School, going to lessons, meeting your new tutor and finding your way around. You will get to know lots of new people and find out just what it is like to be a student at your new school.

We are very excited about it - we hope you are too!

WHAT EQUIPMENT WILL I NEED?

FOR THE START OF TERM



PENS AND PENCILS
COLOURED CRAYONS

RULER

RUBBER

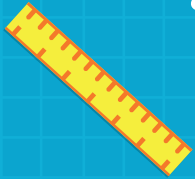
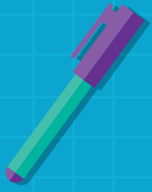
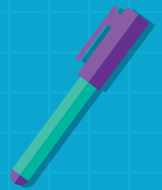
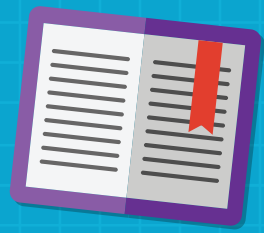
PENCIL SHARPENER

CALCULATOR

SCHOOL BAG

PE KIT

WATER BOTTLE



ATTENDANCE AND BEHAVIOUR

BEHAVIOUR

We take pride in the calm, welcoming learning environment where students are able to thrive both in their academic and personal development.

High standards of behaviour are expected around the school at all times. All students are expected to be polite, courteous, and respectful to everyone on the site and in our local community. Students are expected to have regard for their own safety and that of others.

Every individual has the right to feel safe in school; this will happen when every individual takes responsibility for making the right choices.

You will receive:

- House Points for positive work and contributions in lessons and around the school**
- Praise and encouragement from all staff when you do positive things**
- Positive calls home to your parents**

ATTENDANCE

At Hessle High School high attendance is a priority, and our target is for every student to achieve 96% or better attendance. We will contact any parent/carer if a student's attendance falls below 96%. (this equates to seven days of absence across the whole school year).

Evidence shows that students who have a high attendance record are more successful, not only in school, but in all areas of their life. Regular attendance at school is essential for students' academic achievements and progress. The routine of daily attendance and punctual arrival is an excellent life skill for students to learn and prepare them for their future careers.

Attend today, achieve tomorrow.

STUDENTS & PARENTS THOUGHTS



“ My son has had a great time this week. He says he is really looking forward to starting High School in September. ”



“ This was a great week for both John & I. Maths and English workshops were excellent. Thank you for all your help and support! ”

“ When I walked into Hesse High School I was worried that I wouldn't be able to find my classrooms all the time. Because we had transition week, all the worries were gone because you can ask every question you don't know the answer to. You also get a tour around the school which helps a lot. ”

KEY PEOPLE

Headteacher



Vince Groak

Deputy Headteacher



Louise Price

Assistant Headteacher (Safeguarding)



Jo Anderson

Assistant Headteacher (Student Welfare)



Chris Sinclair

Miss Alison Pinkney Head of Year 7

Originally a Performing Arts teacher at Hesse High School commencing in 2002, progressing to the Leader in the Performing Arts Department. Miss Pinkney taught both dance and drama and also led school productions and organised various educational trips.

In 2010, Miss Pinkney joined the Student Services Team as an Assistant Year Leader, before progressing to Year Leader and then House Leader with a special responsibility for students transitioning from year 6 to year 7.

After a short break working part-time we are thrilled that Miss Pinkney returned to teaching full time and the Student Services Team as the Head of Year 7 and Transition Coordinator.

Miss Victoria Briggs Assistant Head of Year 7

Miss Briggs joined the Student Services Team in 2020 to work with year 7 students as Assistant Head of Year. Miss Briggs has a BA in Education and Early Childhood Studies and has worked as a Teaching Assistant in the primary phase for a number of years. Her knowledge and experience is perfect for working and supporting our year 7 students as they make the transition from their primary education setting.

Head of Year 7



Alison Pinkney

Assistant Head of Year 7



Victoria Briggs

Miss Pinkney and Miss Briggs will look after you during Year 7. They lead a team of 12 dedicated Year 7 tutors who will ensure that you settle into your new school smoothly and with a smile on your face!

Group	Room	Tutor
7A1	S13	Mrs M Strzaska
7A2	S14	Mrs K Simpson
7A3	S15	Dr H O'Neill



Group	Room	Tutor
7C1	S08	Miss E Norman
7C2	S21	Mrs A Bleazard
7C3	S16	Mr D Forrester



Group	Room	Tutor
7P1	S23	Mrs E Bourne
7P2	S22	Mrs Z Edmond / Mrs T Bishop
7P3	F06	Mrs A Webb



Group	Room	Tutor
7O1	S17	Mr G Burnett
7O2	S25	Miss K Burrows
7O3	S18	Miss C Bennett



You will see your tutor at the start of every single day and this will become a really important relationship that will also help your parent(s)/carer to find out how you are getting on in school.



THE HOUSE SYSTEM

Throughout Hesse High School, every learner and member of staff is part of a house community. Each house has a specific identity and forms a community within the wider school.

We strongly believe that this provides learners with an increased sense of belonging.

“The atmosphere at Hesse Academy is really warm and friendly which makes it very easy to make new friends.

Charlotte, Year 7 student ”

“Something that I love is the tutoring system. People from different year groups can come together everyday! You don't get that in most schools!

Tabitha, Year 7 student ”



HEALTHY LIFESTYLES

We encourage all of our students to engage in lifestyles that are healthy and respect the environment. This means:

- Students spend breaks and lunchtimes outside enjoying the fresh air and getting plenty of exercise**
- Students may use mobile phones outside but they must be 'off and away' once you enter the school buildings**
- Food choices in our canteen promote healthy eating**
- Recycling activities are encouraged**
- Limited use of packaging on products bought in school**





PARENTPAY



Hessle High School operates a cashless catering service using your biometric finger image to access. With your parents' consent you will be set up with your own account which can be used to purchase school meals, stationery and pay for trips. You can access your lunch account at any time using your biometric finger image.

STUDENT FEEDBACK ON THE FOOD



"The food in the canteen offers a good variety of options for both hot and cold meals. The beauty of a cashless system is that parents do not have to find money to give their children in a morning. Also there is no danger of children losing their money."



Molly, Year 7 Student



"In my opinion the lunches are great because the canteen is massive so you can sit with your friends. The meals are great and there are meals for different people who like different things."

Miller, Year 7 Student

EXTRA CURRICULAR

Some of the clubs we offer are
listed below

ART CLUB

DEBATING SOCIETY

POETRY CLUB

PHOTOGRAPHY

NETBALL

FOOTBALL

RUGBY

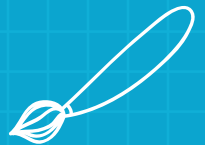
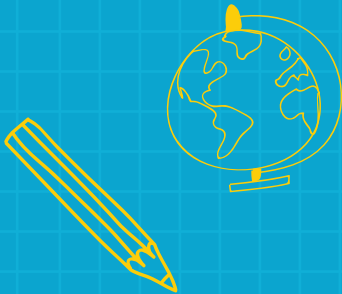
DANCE

DRAMA

SCHOOL PRODUCTIONS

CHARITY COMMITTEE

More information regarding clubs is
available on our website.





“All the staff from the Headteacher to the Caretaker seem to genuinely care for the children from a pastoral and academic point of view.”

Ofsted report 2018,
Parent survey comment.





WHAT'S NEXT?

HESSLE SIXTH FORM

As part of The Hesse Academy family, our Sixth Form College provision is exceptional both in breadth and opportunity. We are delighted that each year our Sixth Form appeals to significantly more than half of our Year 11 students.

The Sixth Form is an integral part of The Hesse Academy and offers you an opportunity to extend your learning more deeply and in new and exciting subjects.

Our Sixth Form College offers you a unique learning environment where you can study your favourite, or new, subjects in familiar surroundings by the staff you know and trust.





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