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Dear Parents and Carers

### Transition Festival

It was a pleasure to welcome you to the Rosebery community last week, albeit virtually. We are delighted to inform you that plans for our Transition Festival have now been finalised, as outlined below.

### Transition Interviews

We hope that you have received your invitation to your individual transition meeting with a member of the pastoral team. In order to allow us to learn a little bit more about your child and ensure we answer her questions, we ask that she completes the Google Form below by Monday 7 June. Please click [here](#).

### Transition Day

We are excited to welcome your child to Rosebery on Tuesday 29 June to experience a day in the life of a Rosebery student as well as provide the opportunity for her to meet all of the other students in her year group.

Please ensure she arrives at the main entrance from 8.45am in her Primary School PE kit, with a packed lunch and her pencil case. We encourage you to arrive on foot to avoid congestion on Whitehorse Drive.

Your child will be greeted at the school gate and begin the day with an assembly in the hall. Following her official welcome to Rosebery School, your child will meet a range of subject specialist staff and begin her journey with us at Rosebery. Students will be dismissed from the main entrance at 2.45pm.

### Summer School

We are delighted to write to inform you that we have been able to organise a day of Summer School for every student joining us in September 2021, who wishes to attend. We hope that this will be an opportunity for students to get to know each other, and the school site, and to engage in an enjoyable and stimulating day.

The Summer School will be organised in tutor groups and will take place across two days - Thursday 22 and Friday 23 July. The cost for both days will be £70 and this is payable via Parent Pay.

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Arrangements for the day:

- arrive at the main entrance from 8.45am
- wear comfortable clothes, should be suitable for participation in active games, in what we hope will be warm weather
- bring their own lunch and a water bottle
- bring hand sanitiser with them and wear a mask if they wish
- be collected from the main entrance at 2.45pm

**Please note that if your child, or anyone in your household is suffering from COVID-19 symptoms, including a high temperature, loss of taste or smell, or a persistent cough, they must not attend the Summer School.**

Please complete the questionnaire that you will find [here](#) to indicate if you would like your child to attend.

### Year 7 Residential

Plans are well underway for our residential to Osmington Bay (PGL) on Friday 22 October for two nights. In order to secure your place on the trip a deposit of £30 is required by Friday 2 July via ParentPay. The total cost of the trip is £161 which will be payable across three further instalments. The cost of this trip includes:

- transport from Rosebery to Osmington Bay and back
- full board accommodation
- adventure activities in groups of up to 12, instruction and equipment
- evening entertainment programme

Students will depart from Rosebery School on Friday 22 October at 1:00pm and will return on Sunday 24 October at 6:00pm. We ask that all students are collected from the bus stop/layby on Dorking Road.

Further to the information above you will also be receiving our Student and Parent Handbooks in the post shortly.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact Miss Canessa or Mrs Ringer.

Yours sincerely

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