



Joyce
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Newport



Dear Parents and Carers,

My name is Ms. Reynolds, and I am delighted to introduce myself as the new Head of Year 7 at Joyce Frankland Academy for the upcoming academic year.

The transition from primary to secondary school is an important milestone for both students and their families. It is completely natural for children to feel a mixture of excitement and nervousness as they prepare for this next stage of their education.

My role, alongside our Form Tutors and Pastoral Team, is to ensure that every student feels happy, safe, and fully supported throughout their journey at JFAN. We are committed to creating an environment where every child feels a strong sense of belonging and is encouraged to thrive both academically and personally.

Year 7 is a particularly exciting time, filled with opportunities to meet new people, explore a range of subjects, participate in clubs and trips, and develop greater independence and confidence. We are very much looking forward to helping your child settle successfully into life at JFAN. We are pleased to attach to this email a newsletter that our current Year 7 students have put together. You may like to spend some time reading this through with your child.

During June, I will be visiting our feeder primary schools to introduce myself to students in person and to answer any questions they may have about starting secondary school.

Before then, I would like to remind you of a few important dates for your diary:

- Thursday 25th June – Transition Day and Evening
- Tuesday 1st September – Meet your Tutor visit
- Thursday 3rd September – Year 7 Orientation Day

We will be sending more information regarding each of these events as the date approaches.

I very much look forward to meeting both you and your child in the coming months and working together to ensure a positive and successful start to secondary school.

Yours sincerely,

Ms. S Reynolds

Head of Year 7, Joyce Frankland Academy

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