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YATELEY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer(s)

Taster Day – Tuesday 22 September 2026 from 9.00am to 3.00pm

Open Evening – Wednesday 23 September 2026 from 6.00pm – 8.30pm

Open Mornings – Tuesday 29 September and Wednesday 7 October 2026 (two sessions each day)

As you may well be aware, our Year 6 Taster Day, Open Evening and Open Mornings for prospective families are fast approaching. On behalf of Yateley School I am delighted to invite you to these events and do hope that you will be able to join us. I am very much looking forward to meeting you.

As a parent myself, I am very well aware that you face an extremely important decision in choosing a secondary school for your child and we believe that Yateley School represents an excellent and proven choice, with a longstanding track record of success and pastoral care. Through our open events we will give you a clear insight into what we offer and the vision that underpins our ambitious work. We pride ourselves on making the transition into secondary school as positive and enjoyable an experience as possible. There is a lot to look forward to for this year group, who would leave our sixth form in 2034, given that Yateley School is a school which is continually improving and from an already strong foundation right now! There is academic excellence, very strong performance with OFSTED in successive inspections and many other measures of success. Our school has often been described as a real community, with high standards and a big heart! Demand for places is healthy and we'll be delighted to invite you to come along and see for yourself.

Year 6 Taster Day, Tuesday 22 September from 9.00am – 3.00pm

We invite your child to spend a day with us and experience what it's like to be a Yateley School student. The children will participate in a variety of lessons, giving them a taste of different subjects. Lunch will also be provided. If you have not yet reserved a place and would like to attend, we encourage you to book as soon as possible using the links at the end of this letter. Bookings will close on Friday 18 September, or earlier if we reach our maximum capacity of 350 bookings.

Open Evening Wednesday 23 September from 6.00pm – 8.30pm

This is an excellent opportunity for parent/carers and children to see around our school. All of the departments will be open and sharing what they offer. There will be talks from me and other colleagues and the chance to look at pastoral care, educational support and transport if needed. We aim to be on hand to answer all of your questions.

Open Mornings Tuesday 29 September and Wednesday 7 October – 9.00am or 11.30am start

I would also like to invite you and your child to one of our forthcoming Open Mornings. They are a great opportunity to see the school at work on a normal day and a further chance to talk to students

and staff. I will start the mornings by speaking briefly with you and share the Yateley vision. This will be followed by a tour of the school with one of our sixth form students who will be able to talk to you about their experience and understanding of the school. After this, senior staff will be available to answer any further questions you may have.

If you have not already booked onto some or all of these events, please click on the links below:

Year 6 Taster Day	
Tuesday 22 September Year 6 Taster Day	Book Now
Open Evening	
Wednesday 23 September Open Evening	Book Now
Open Mornings	
Tuesday 29 September/Wednesday 7 October	Book Now

I am extremely proud of Yateley School. We are a community with a clear sense of identity, ambition and purpose. As Headteacher, I am keen to build on the successes that we have already achieved and look forward to a tremendous future. I am confident that we have a wide range of opportunities for your child, alongside real challenge and I am looking forward to working with you to ensure their success. I do hope that you will be able to join us at some or all of these events.

Yours faithfully



Mr P German
Headteacher