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Dear Students, Parents & Carers

A final reminder that if you want to request specific information about a certain topic or have a question about the Academy, please use the following link.

To submit a request, please click the following link. https://forms.office.com/e/rqNuv1dSSg

The link to add questions will be open until Friday 26th May.

Here at The City of Peterborough Academy, we want students to feel confident and prepared for their first day in September. We have discussed uniform in a previous letter, but we know families are considering what equipment is needed to ensure a smooth and positive start in September.

Equipment

It is really important that students arrive at school with the correct equipment. This allows them to access their learning and be well organised for any work or activities that may be happening each day.

Each Year 7 student will need:

- An appropriately sized school bag (to fit an A4 folder)
- A water bottle
- A pencil case containing pens (blue or black), pencils, ruler, eraser, compass, protractor, colouring pencils. This is provided by the school initially but it is good to have spare items of stationary, especially pens and pencils.
- Any specific equipment needed for specific lessons e.g. PE kit, cooking ingredients etc.

Parent Meetings

We would like to offer all parents/carers a chance to meet with a member of staff in June. This would be to allow an opportunity for you and your child to come onto the school site, ask any questions you have and for us to give you any further information.

These meetings will be 10 minutes long and by appointment only on the following dates and times:

- Tuesday 13th June 3.30-4.30pm
- Thursday 15th June 3.30-4.30pm
- Monday 19th June 3.30-4.30pm
- Wednesday 21st June 3.30-4.30pm

To take advantage of this offer and book in please click on the following link, giving your preferred day and we will contact you with an appointment:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=WnSRoNi3ek2yphNZBT1FEHE-fVTD-I5OjeDcx4Z1MiJUMUIPTDMxSE5WMU9ZRzZIN08zUUdONVhDMi4u

We want families and students to feel comfortable and confident about the transition from Primary to Secondary school and these meetings will be an opportunity for you to meet key staff and familiarise yourself with the school.

We urge you to take advantage of these 1 to 1 meetings before the summer break to assist with any worries you or your child may have.

We now look forward to half term and I hope that you and your family are able to enjoy some time together over this week.

Yours Sincerely,

Amberley McKeen Senior Assistant Principal