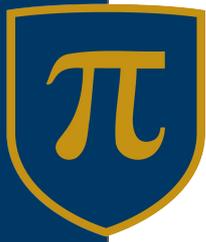


THE
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Welcome

Year
7





WELCOME

HELLO YEAR 7

Welcome to The Turing School.

Dear Parents, Carers and future Turing school students,

I would like to take this opportunity to formally welcome you to our Turing School family. We are very excited to get to know our new families and to ensure that you, our new students, are feeling excited about starting secondary school in September.

Whilst starting secondary school is always an exciting time, this year is particularly so as you will be our first ever "The Turing School" students and families, as we open our vibrant new school.

We are a community school and we pride ourselves on knowing our students and families well, your education and experience is all about us working together. Our staff are a very happy and supportive group and our students are friendly and helpful and will be more than happy to help our new students.

We want the very best for you and your education so we are committed to delivering high quality lessons, enrichment activities, trips and extracurricular activities after school every day in a positive environment where you feel supported to succeed. We believe at the Turing school that every student can succeed and therefore must be given as many opportunities as possible to discover their skills and talents, as well as being able to try new things.

Our students well-being is of the utmost importance to us and is an essential part of every individual being able to grow and learn. Having high aspirations is something we encourage day to day so our students have the opportunity to fulfil their potential and aim high.

We can't wait to meet you!

Sarah Doyle
Head of School



Claire Holden

Head of Key Stage 3



Jen Collis

Head of Key Stage 3



Claudia Guarino

Assistant Head of Key Stage 3



Sarah Doyle

Headteacher / Safeguard Lead



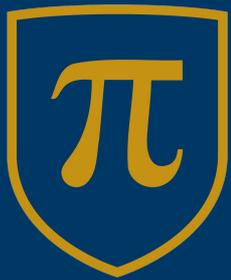
Liza Leung

Executive Headteacher



Chelsey Leighton

SENCO Lead



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The Turing School Summer School

ASPIRATION



RESPECT



DIVERSITY



INNOVATION



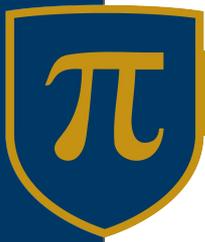
Monday 26th July -
Friday 30th July

We will be inviting our new year 6 students to join us at our Summer School.

Students will have a great week learning some new and exciting skills as well as getting to know some of the staff and the building.

If you still like to book a place on our Summer school then please just get in touch.

Email us at tts-office@swale.at



My First Day?

Starting Secondary school can be a bit daunting so this booklet is designed to help you, so you know what to do and what to wear etc on your first day. It will also help you know what school life is going to be like when you join us in September.

You will need to arrive at 8.30am on your first day in your full school uniform.

You will then line up and be taken into the school main hall for an assembly.

After assembly you will go off with your tutor and spend some time with them and your tutor group. You will be given your timetable, which will show you which lessons you have on which days. You will also be given a map and have a tour of the school to help you learn where it is you are going for all your lovely lessons.

After this you will then head off and have your very first lesson here at The Turing School.

During the day you will have a 20 minute break time and a 35 minute lunchtime - where you will be able to have a break from lessons, be outside (if the weather is nice) and have something to eat and drink.

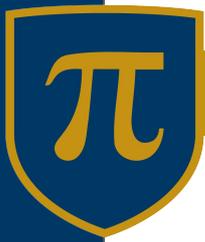
After a couple more fantastic lessons it will be time for you to leave. We finish at 3.00pm when you are free to go home and have a rest after your very first day at Secondary School.

The following pages are designed to help you be prepared for your first day. So please take some time to read them.



Timetable

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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What do I need to wear?

Please look at the table below to find out what it is you need to wear on your first and every day when attending The Turing School.

- **School blazer with The Turing School crest (Must be worn at all times).**
- **White Shirt .**
- **Black pleated/ straight skirt down to the knee (no stretchy material or pencil skirts are permitted); or black, loose-fitting trousers. (no jeans or chinos).**
- *Optional Black V neck jumper with The Turing School crest*
School tie (must be worn at all times).
- **Plain black leather formal shoes with a low heel (no trainers allowed, even if leather).**

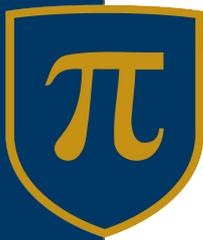
Hair, make up and Jewellery

- **Hair styles must not be extreme in either cut or colour, no excessive makeup or eyelashes**
- **No jewellery or piercings allowed, no false nails or nail varnish**

PE Kit

- **Compulsory The Turing School branded Polo top with PE Branded Shorts** or optional Turing School branded training pants or leggings.
- **Trainers are allowed for PE lessons.**
- *On colder days students can wear optional Turing School long sleeved jumpers overtop.*





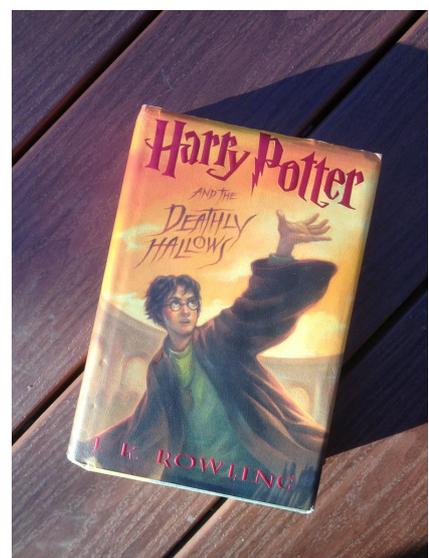
What do I need to bring to school?

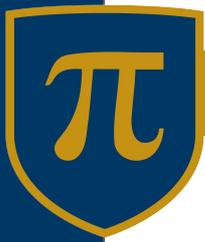
To help you be ready and prepared to learn every day, a top tip is to pack your school bag the night before.

- 1). A bottle of water (We have a refill station in school)
- 2). A well stocked pencil case.
- 3). Your PE Kit (only on the days you have PE).
- 4). Your pin for your locker if you are using one and have rented one out.
- 5). A packed lunch / snack if you aren't having school dinner.
- 6). A reading book for silent reading.



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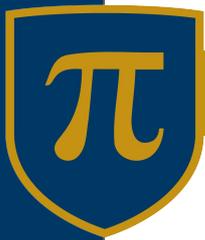
Timings of the day?

You will need to arrive at school between 8.30 - 8.35 in your full school uniform and your school bag all packed.

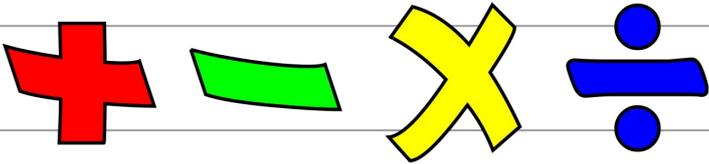
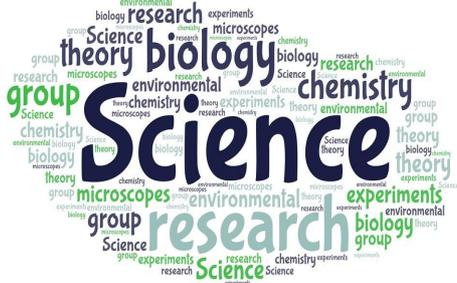
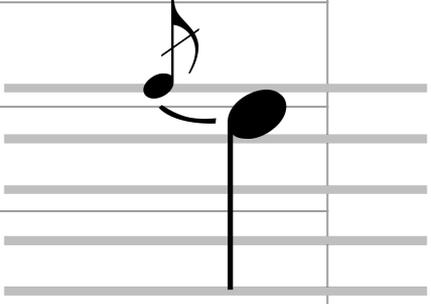
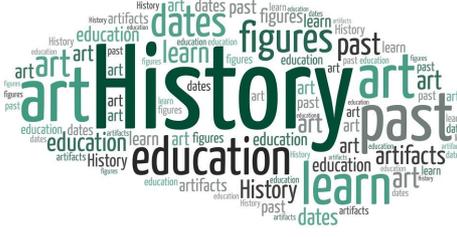
You will have 6 55 minute lessons throughout the day and your first one will start at 8.40am.

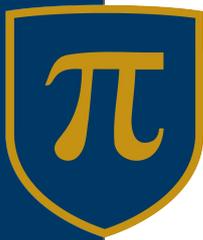
Throughout the day you will have two breaks - one at break time - 20 minutes and the lunch slightly later on in the day for 35 minutes. During these times you are allowed to go outside and play / meet up with your friends, have something to eat and drink and go to the toilet.

Timings	Lesson
8.40 - 9.35	Lesson 1
9.35 - 10.30	Lesson 2
10.30 - 10.55	BREAK
10.55 - 11.50	Lesson 3
11.50 - 12.45	Lesson 4
12.45 - 1.10	LUNCH
1.10 - 2.05	Lesson 5
2.05 - 3.00	Lesson 6



Which subjects will I learn?

Subject		
Art		
Drama		
Design and Technology		
English		
Food Technology		
Geography		
History		
I.T		
Maths		
Music		
PE and Dance		
Science		
Spanish		
Sphere		
		



After school?

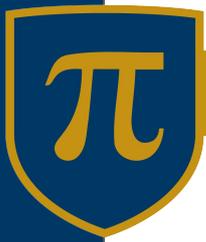
Once your school day has finished there will be lots of opportunities to get involved with some of our fantastic after school clubs which will run during the school year.

These include

Art,
Athletics,
Basketball,
Cricket,
Drama,
Football,
Fitness,
Gymnastics,
Hockey,
Homework,

In September keep an eye out for which clubs will be running in our first term. If you want to attend a club, see the teacher who is running the club to get signed up.





Who to go to for help?

There are lots of people who are here to help you at The Turing School, these include: -

Your tutor.

Your Heads of Keystage - Miss Holden and Miss Collis.

Your Pastoral Support Manager - Miss Guarino.

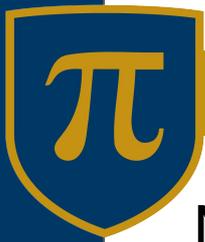
Your SENDco - Miss Leighton.

Your Headteacher - Miss Doyle.

And any of the teachers and members of staff here.

So please don't worry there is always lots of people here to help you, should you need it.





Mobile phones - Mobile phones aren't allowed out during the school day. When arriving at school they need to be switched off and put in a safe place for the duration of the school day.

Lost - If you get lost, firstly don't worry, just ask a member of staff to help you or make your way to the Key stage office where there will be someone to help you .

Lost -If you lost something whilst at school, at break or lunch go back to the place where you last remember having it. If it isn't there then go to the main reception to see if it has been handed in. If it isn't there go to the keystage office where we will help you find it.

Feel ill? If you feel unwell during the school day, let you teacher know and then they will make a decision on whether to send you to the Key stage team. If you are very unwell then you will be sent to the Key stage office or medical room where you will be looked after until a decision has been made about whether you will stay in school or not.

Forget something? If you have forgotten something you need at school for the day then head to the Keystage Office where we will contact home to see if it can be brought in for you.

Need something? If you need something or to speak to someone during the day that at break or lunch you can make your way to the Keystage office where someone will help you.