



## **JULY FAQ SHEET**

Thank you very much for your engagement with the parents' information video and the questions form. Please see answers to queries below. If you have any further questions, please contact the school.

### **FORM GROUPS**

#### **Will my son/daughter be with their friends?**

Form groups are set on educational purposes and not friendship groups. If there are other students coming to Hampton Gardens from your primary school, it is very likely that you will have a familiar face in your form. We are very keen for students to make new friends and mix with other primary schools. Students can still see friends at break and lunch time.

#### **Will students stay in the same form group?**

Form groups tend to stay the same through each year however changes are sometimes made due to educational needs.

### **UNIFORM**

Details regarding school uniform are available here:

<https://www.hamptongardens.org.uk/join-our-school/school-uniform/>

#### **Shirts**

Students can wear both long sleeved and short sleeved shirts if it is buttoned to the collar with enough material allowance to stay tucked into their waistband

#### **Lost property**

Any lost items will be taken to student reception. Please make sure that all clothing is clearly marked with your child's name.

#### **Guidance on coats**

Coats must be plain, and slogans or images are not permitted. Coats are not allowed to be worn inside the school building. Students can purchase a locker for a deposit of £5 to store any items they may need.

#### **What happens if my uniform is incorrect?**

Students not adhering to the school's uniform policy will be isolated until the matter can be resolved.

*If there is any doubt whether an item conforms to the school uniform policy, please contact the school for advice before purchasing an item of clothing*



## **OTHER QUESTIONS**

### **My son/daughter is worried about getting lost**

On the first day students will be given a tour by their form tutor and they will be given a map of the school to keep. Students will move around as a form group to start with to help one another. Other students and teachers in the school are very friendly and will be around to help.

### **How much homework will students receive?**

Pupils will receive a timetabled plan of when subjects will set homework within the first two weeks of term. All subjects will aim to set at least 1 piece of homework per week. Homework may vary depending on the topic being covered in lesson. Failure to submit homework will result in a negative behaviour mark on Bromcom. Parents can monitor their child's homework using 'My child at school' on Bromcom.

### **Holidays and quarantine**

Due to government guidance, if you chose to go to another country where you are required to quarantine on your return during term time, absences will be recorded as unauthorised. Please check the school website for further guidance on attendance.

*As you will be aware our return to school in September will be slightly different to our 'normal' school induction, once the details have been finalised these will be shared with parents and students.*