



Glen Urquhart

High School

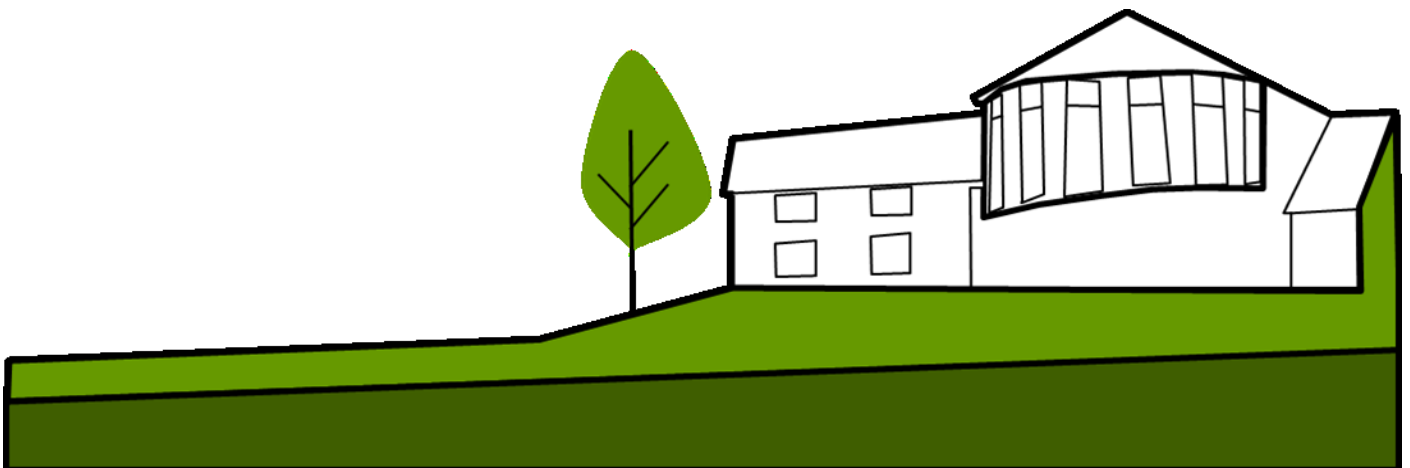
Frequently Asked Questions

P7 Transition Days 2019

Tuesday 25th June 2019 - Friday 28th June 2019

P7 Transition Parents' Evening

Thursday 27th June 2019



We try to ensure parents of our new pupils are supported throughout the transition process. To help we have prepared this 'frequently asked questions' document which will hopefully answer some or all of your queries in the run up to the transitions days.

Many of the questions asked in previous years relate to the day to day running of the school, classes, class times and teachers, while other questions are about uniform, lunches and lunch payments. All information on this can be found in the most recent version of the school prospectus which will be issued to you in due course.

Frequently Asked Questions

Is there supervision on the school bus?

All buses have Bus Monitors to ensure pupils are safe during travel on the school bus. They will check pupils are seated at all times and wearing their seat belt for the duration of their journey.

Who will help my child if they are lost?

Senior Prefects will be available to escort our new pupils to and from class, will be with them at break and lunchtime, will make sure they are able to find their way around and answer any questions they may have.

What are they required to bring for transition days?

During the transition days pupils will be dressed in their primary uniforms. They will need to bring a suitable change of clothing for PE activities. On Thursday 27th June pupils will be at Craigmonie Woods where they are advised to wear casual clothing (warm clothes) for the day and bring a waterproof jacket and suitable footwear.

How do I organise a school lunch during the transition days?

School lunches can be arranged each day when pupils are in school. Pupils will be given a six digit code so that they can make payment for food. Pupils can bring a packed lunch if they prefer.

Who can my child talk to if they have any issues?

All pupils will have a Guidance Teacher (either Mr Humphris or Mrs Woodhouse) who is there to support pupils throughout their time at Glen Urquhart High School. Pupils will also have a Key Adult who will be another member of staff other than the Guidance team. The Key Adult will arrange regular meetings with your child to talk about how they are settling in, their progress in subjects, friendships, etc.

How much homework will my child receive?

Homework varies from subject to subject, but all courses throughout S1 will issue homework on a regular basis. Pupils and parents will be able to make use of the website 'show my homework' to support their organisation of homework.

What is the dress code at Glen Urquhart High School?

The dress code is plain black or white tops (with or without the school badge), plain trousers or plain skirt (for girls). No items of clothing should have logos or patterns of any description. Denims or football tops are also not permitted.