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Dear Parent/Carer

It has been delightful welcoming our year 7 students for their first day as Hayes students. After arriving this morning, they spent some time with their tutor, logged on to the computer system, visited the restaurant so they know how to use this and had assembly with Mr Hitch. This afternoon they had their first lesson. I have been thoroughly impressed with year 7 today and their tutors and I look forward to working with them this year.

We know that this is a big day for you as well as your child and were not surprised to see so many of you at the gate to collect them at the end of the day. Tomorrow we welcome back the rest of the school so you can imagine that it will be much busier in West Common Road. If you are meeting your child tomorrow we would be grateful if you could make arrangements to meet your child slightly down the road or away from the main gate to support the safe dismissal of all of our students, especially at such a busy road junction.

The form tutors will be doing uniform checks this week and reminding students about our uniform policy. We have seen a small number of students wearing black trainers (E.g. Nike/Adidas) and ask that these are replaced with black school shoes. Please also be reminded that students should not wear any jewellery, including earrings and ear studs.

It has been a pleasure to see our new year 7 start so positively today - they have made a great first impression.

Yours sincerely,

Ms Joyce

Year 7 Achievement Co-ordinator



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