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RE: Y6 transition days to DCHS

Dear parents/ caregivers,

As part of their transition programme, the Duchess Community High School (DCHS) will be having two transition days where the Year 6 pupils that will be going to DCHS in the next academic year are able to attend DCHS and a pre-planned and arranged day of activities has been organised and will be run by DCHS staff. These 'taster days' are scheduled to be on the **3rd and 10th of July** (both are Wednesdays).

If your child is going to be attending DCHS in the next academic year, then on the 3rd and 10th July, **you will need to make arrangements for them to be dropped off a DCHS at 9:15am** where Mrs Athey will be in front of the school's reception area at the entrance to meet and greet them. **Parents/ caregivers will then need to collect their child(ren) again from the front of DCHS at 2:30pm.** (If parents/ caregivers want to organise shared drop-off/ pick-up arrangements, that is absolutely fine but is to be arranged by yourselves.)

The plan that has been given by DCHS for these days are:

Wed 3rd July (children should wear their normal Whittingham uniform)

- meet the Form Teacher and students in Form Class
- familiarisation tour of school with Form Class
- LUNCH - can be either bought here (change needed: £2.50 for lunch (extra if a drink is needed) or children can bring a packed lunch)
- carousel of 'lessons' e.g. English, maths, geography

Wed 10th July (children should wear their Whittingham PE kits)

- Morning = sports activity (P.E. kits and sunscreen needed) and carousel of extracurricular activities
- LUNCH - packed lunch needed
- Afternoon = Review of the day - Q&A activity

Please note, if your child is not going to DCHS next year then your child will attend Whittingham as usual on these days.

Kind regards,
Mr Charlton

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