



14th June 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 7 and 8 Timetable Arrangements for 2019-2020

As we head into the final term of the academic year, we start to think ahead to September to ensure a smooth and positive transition for each and every pupil at Broadstone Middle School.

Over the past few years, we have worked closely alongside Corfe Hills School knowing that many of our pupils will move onto there at the end of Year 8. This year we saw our KS3 pupils heading up to CHS for their technology lessons. This enabled them to familiarize themselves with the school site, recognize school routines and get to know the staff before they enroll there. Children have enjoyed the experience and as a result feel more confident about their next step in education.

With this in mind, we have planned for our KS3 pupils to again have access to the fantastic resources and teaching available at CHS. Each Year 7 and 8 class will spend 4 lessons (ICT, PE, RP and Music) at CHS, these lessons will be encompassed into a morning session. Each class will spend a morning at CHS (e.g. 7V might be Monday and 7W might be Tuesday). PE lessons will be taught by BMS staff members (Mr McCalister and Miss Adams) at the CHS site so that we can take advantage of their facilities (trampolines, cricket nets and badminton courts etc.).

To ensure a smooth start to the day pupils will need to start their allocated day at CHS – either by walking or being dropped off at the school site. Once they have completed their 4 lessons they will come back for their final lesson before departing for home. We would expect pupils to walk from CHS to BMS. We have shortened the last lesson at CHS and extended lunch to allow them time to walk. In addition there will be members of staff or sixth form students who will accompany students on the journey whilst they familiarize themselves with the route.

We are very excited about this offer but appreciate you might have some questions. I will be available on Thursday 4th July from 3.05pm if you want to come in and speak to me directly. Alternatively please feel free to contact me via the school office or email any time

Yours sincerely,

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