





Clwster Darland - Darland Cluster







Transition Action Plan (2021 – 2022)

Aim	Activities	Who?	When?	Success Criteria	Evaluation		
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To support pupils in becoming familiar with the vision, values and key staff from the	Half termly assemblies to be undertaken in feeder primary schools by Headteacher and Head of Year 7 from Darland.	JL DOJ	Ongoing	Primary pupils familiar with key members of staff from High School in advance of transition.			
High School.	Professional photography sessions for feeder primary schools to support and develop links between the primary schools and High School.	DOJ	Spring 2022				
To support pupils in becoming familiar with the vision, values and key staff from the	Planned transition days to take place for year 6 pupils during the Summer Term before moving to High School.	DOJ	Summer 2022	Pupils are supported into High School and are familiar with the learning environment. Pupils have opportunity to ask			
High School.	High School transition booklet to be co- constructed and shared with pupils to support understanding.	DOJ P.HTs	Spring 2022	questions prior to visiting the High School.			
To support pupils in becoming familiar with the vision, values and key staff from the High School.	Extension of transition activities to include year 5 pupils in advance of making high school applications to support familiarisation with the High School.	DOJ P.HTs	7 th July 2022	Pupils are prepared and support through the transition to High School from an earlier age.			

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To support pupils in becoming familiar with the vision, values and key staff from the High School.	Enhanced transition days to take place for pupils who have Additional Learning Needs or those who may be deemed as vulnerable. Transition meetings as required on a case by case basis for those pupils who have Additional Learning Needs or who are deemed as vulnerable.	DBH	Summer Term 2022 Spring & Summer Term 2022	Vulnerable pupils and those who have Additional Learning Needs are well supported in their transition to High School with their needs being well understood through Person Centred Practice.
To support pupils in becoming familiar with the vision, values and key staff from the High School.	More Able and Talented transition activities to develop and extend the challenge for these pupils. Activities to take place across the Areas of Learning and Experience to ensure a broad and balanced offering.	DOJ P.HTs DOJ P.HTs	Autumn Term 2022 Autumn Term 2022	Enrichment and challenge exists across the cluster for all pupils, particularly those who are More Able and Talented to support them in realising their potential.
To support transition through access to facilities from the High School.	Primary schools to have access to the Darland mini bus when not required by the High School. Primary schools can request access to Darland facilities for specialist teaching/learning activities as required.	P.HTs	Spring 2022 Spring 2022	Primary school pupils supported in accessing events in partnership with the High School. Teaching and Learning experiences are enhanced.

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To support transition through access to facilities from the High School.	Implementation of cluster competitions for sport and other Areas of Learning and Experience.	P.HTs	Summer 2022	Pupils have opportunity to meet their new peers in advance of moving to High School.
	Development of Cluster Collaboration project to develop relationships between pupils in advance of transition to High School.	P.HTs DOJ	Summer 2022	Cluster collaboration supports development of shared expectations and of a smooth and successful transition.
To collaborate to support the implementation of the Curriculum for Wales.	Cluster Curriculum Leads to attend cluster curriculum meetings to develop curriculum rationale, opportunities for cluster collaboration and	CfW Leads	Spring 2022	Pupil progress and measures of progress are shared and well understood across the cluster.
	Establish an assessment working group with a focus on processes to support standardisation and moderation of Areas of Learning and Experience and understanding of common expectations upon entry to Year 7.	HTs	Summer 2022	The High School is aware of pupil outcomes at the end of Year 6 and pupils are supported to make the best progress from their point of entry.
	Development of Cluster Collaboration projects to provide opportunities for pupils to work together from varying schools, both in person and virtually.	CfW Leads	Summer 2022	Pupils engage in collaborative projects, developing a bespoke and local curriculum for the Darland Cluster.

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