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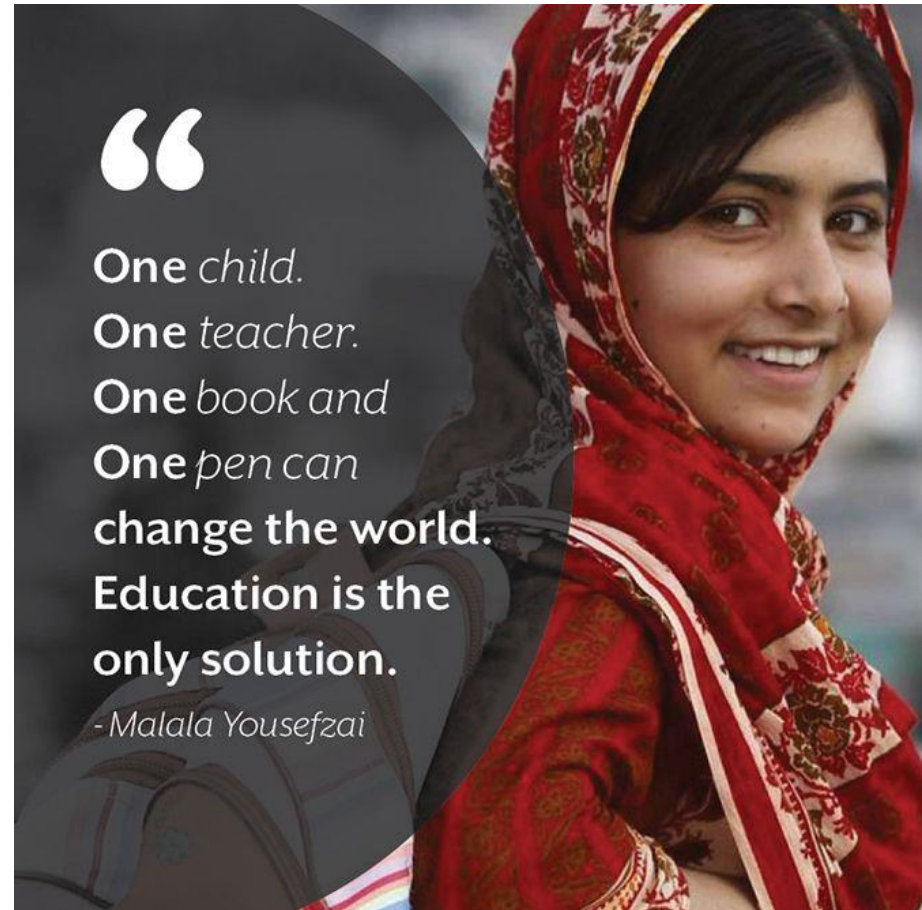
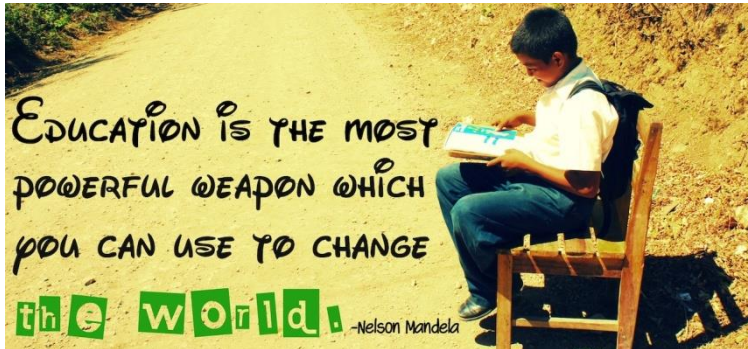
*Year 7: Success does not come to
you; you go to it.*

Miss Hodge – Head of Year 7

Who's Who?

- ▶ Miss Claire Hodge: Head of Year 7
- ▶ Mrs Ella Hayward: Assistant Head of Year 7
- ▶ Ms Anita Mannan: Year 7 line manager

- ▶ Mrs Sam Freeman: 7SFR Tutor
- ▶ Mr Nick Sharman: 7NS
- ▶ Miss Paula Lorente: 7PLM
- ▶ Mrs Emily Toscano-Heighton: 7ETH
- ▶ Miss Sabrina Machete: 7SM
- ▶ Miss Laura Wilson: 7LW
- ▶ Miss Charlotte Stangroom: 7CS
- ▶ Miss Susie Bell/Miss Maeve McKeogh: 7SBE



Starting life in secondary school can be daunting. New building, faces, lessons – it all adds up!

Our aim is for all our students to feel welcome, settled and comfortable with their learning, so that they can achieve their potential.

What is this evening for?

- Gain an understanding of what is covered during Key Stage Three
 - Understand the school rewards system, Vivo
 - Meet your daughter's tutor and understand their role in her daily school life.
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Attendance why is it so important....?



Attendance at Ricards Lodge

We are committed to maximising the achievement of all our students. Research shows that there is a clear and consistent relationship between good attendance and achievement. Our aim is to ensure all of our students achieve their full potential by promoting and encouraging regular attendance and good punctuality.

Please help us and your child by ensuring that she is attending school to allow her to achieve her potential.

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
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Absent half a day every week

90% attendance = 1/2 day missed every week!

This could have a significant impact on your daughter's learning

1 school year at 90% attendance = 4 whole weeks of lessons MISSED!

Over 5 years this would mean your daughter has missed half a school year of learning.

Ways for parents to promote regular attendance:

* **Talk regularly** with your child about school and how they feel about it. They are more likely to attend if they feel supported and their anxieties listened to.

* **Phone school** as soon as possible as to why your child is absent and when you expect them to return. Putting the school number in your phone can save time.

* **Only allow days** at home for genuine illness. Otherwise send them to school and if they are ill we can send them home

* **Avoid taking holidays** in term time

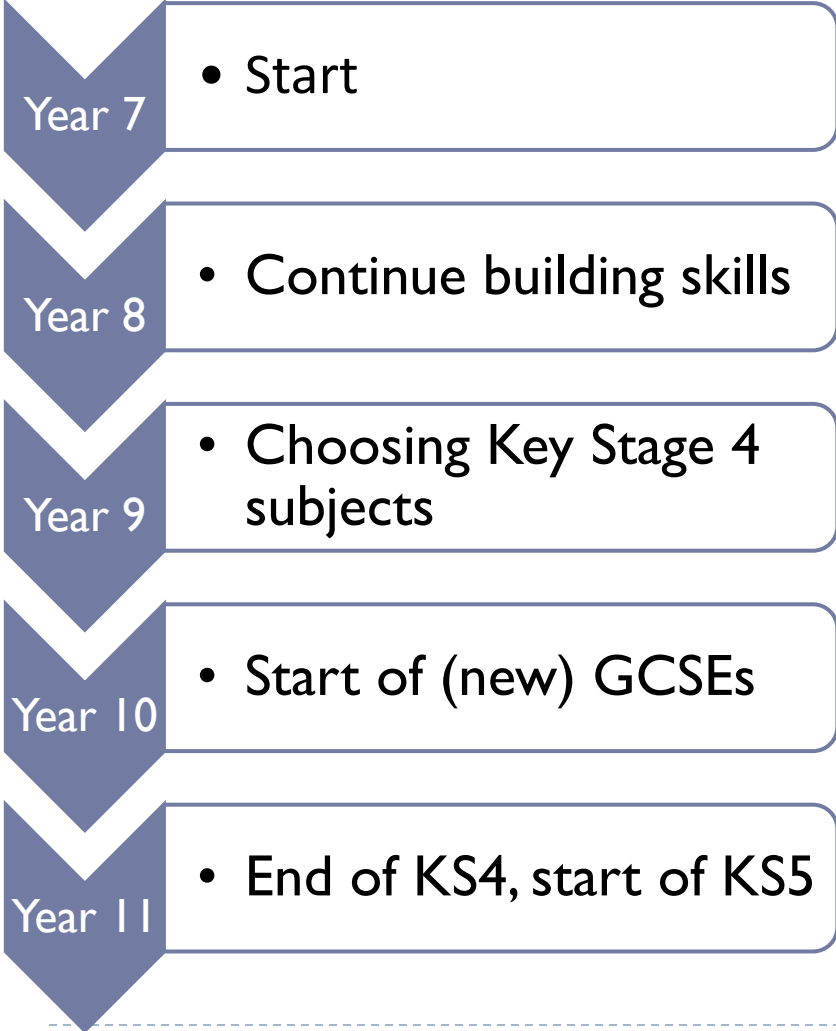
* **Know the routine** of the school day to avoid issues e.g. Do they need their PE kit?

* **Praise and reward** good attendance: even small Success

* **Please contact** us if you have any concerns.

Attend and achieve your potential!

Photo Finish



- ▶ Use every opportunity to help your daughter succeed.
- ▶ Marginal gains have big effects



Key Dates

- ▶ Year 7 TTR1: **Wednesday 16th December 2015**
 - ▶ Parents Evening: **Tuesday 19th January 2016**
 - ▶ Year 7 TTR2: **Wednesday 23rd March 2016**
 - ▶ Year 7 summer exams: **Tuesday 28th June 2016 – Tuesday 5th July 2016**
 - ▶ Year 7 Full Reports : **Tuesday 19th July 2016**
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Tutor Break Out Sessions

- ▶ Mrs S Freeman (7SFR) – **A3**
- ▶ Mr N Sharman (7NS) – **A5**
- ▶ Miss P Lorento (7PLM) – **A2**
- ▶ Ms E Toscano-Heighton (7ETH) – **A4**
 - ▶ Miss S Macheti (7SM) – **A12**
 - ▶ Miss L Wilson (7LW) – **A13**
 - ▶ Miss C Stangroom (7CS) – **A1**
- ▶ Miss S Bell/Miss M McKeogh (7SBE) – **A11**