

THE LONDON NAUTICAL SCHOOL

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29th June 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

Welcome to the London Nautical School and congratulations on securing a place here for your son's secondary education. I appreciate this will be a somewhat nerve-racking and daunting time for you and your son but also one that is extremely exciting and the beginning of a 7-year adventure.

Over 100 years ago the school was established to help all the pupils achieve their full potential, this hasn't changed. It is a place where doing your best at all times matters in the classroom and out of the classroom. Taking pride in who you are, how you dress, your attendance and punctuality and also good manners, serving the community, consideration for others and respect for learning is prized most highly.

From the moment that letter, or email, arrived confirming your son's place here, he became a "Nautical Boy". This means that he is expected to work hard at all times to live up to the very high expectations that the school has of him. He will be taught by a team of wonderful teachers who have his learning and development as fine, respectable young men, as their top priority. This will be a very important and exciting time in your family's life and it is a real pleasure and privilege for me, as your Headteacher, to help you to make the most of all the unique opportunities experienced here.

For Parents

Firstly, and most importantly, please ensure you have completed the link below to accept your sons place at London Nautical School by clicking here:

Next please make sure you have checked your son's eligibility for Free School Meals, see our website here: https://www.lns.org.uk/home/parents/school-meals/

Important Dates

We have a number of important dates coming up for you and your son as part of completing his induction to London Nautical School, so please read the following carefully:

Firstly, our induction evening for families will take place on the <u>Monday 4th July 2022</u> at London Nautical School. Please arrive at school at 4:45pm for a 5:00pm start. The evening will present an opportunity to meet key staff members who will play an integral part in your son's transition into Secondary school.

Next, in preparation for the induction day, which is on <u>Friday 8th July 2022</u>, we would like your son to find a piece of work that he has completed in Year 6 that he is proud of. We would then like your son to bring this piece of work with him, so that we can display it and show it to the staff who will be teaching your son from September.

On the <u>Friday 8th July 2022</u>, your son will be able to enter the school through the gates on Stamford Street from 8:45am, for a prompt start at 9:00am. Students will then be escorted to the hall by our Leadership Team for a welcome assembly. <u>Students on this day should wear their Primary School uniform and also bring a PE kit</u>. If your son would like a hot meal at lunch time on the Induction Day, this will be provided free. Alternatively, students can bring a packed lunch with them to eat at this time. The day will finish at 2.40pm and students will need to be collected from the school gate on Stamford Street.



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During the school holidays we are running our Transition Week / Summer school - this will take place during <u>w/c 15th August 2022</u> and will involve a day at the docks, a Royal Navy Team building morning and other fun learning activities – giving your son the opportunity to meet staff and his new classmates for September 2022.

Finally, on the morning of <u>Friday</u> <u>2nd September 2022</u> your son will complete his induction into Year 7 with a morning in school, receiving his timetable and meeting his form tutor – full uniform is required on this day which starts at 8:40am.

ALL pupils will then start school at 8:40am on Monday 5th September 2022.

Additional Information

For those parents who make purchases via Amazon, please support the school by going to Amazon Smile (https://smile.amazon.co.uk/) which will then allow you to nominate a charity that Amazon will donate to per transaction. This is at no cost to you and Amazon Smile has the same offer as Amazon in terms of its goods and services. Our school has charitable status and we distribute our funds to support our pupils – these donations will help our students visit the docks and extend their sporting opportunities - the charity is "The London Nautical School Fund" selecting us as your nominated charity will be enormously helpful to the school.

Finally, if you have friends, or relatives, who would like a place for their son at London Nautical, we do still have a few places left and it's not too late to complete an application – please email <u>admissions</u> and click here for further information; Admissions 2022.

If you have any further queries regarding the Induction day, please do not hesitate to contact Ms C Knight on 0207 902 5039 or by email at admissions@Ins.org.uk.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. M Schofield Headteacher

Important Dates - Summary

Date	Time	Activity
4 th July 2022	4:45pm for a	Parents/Students Transition
	5:00pm start.	Evening
8 th July 2022	8:45am -	Students Transition Day
	2:40pm	
W/c 15 th August 2022	tbc	Transition Summer School
2 nd September	08:40am -	Induction Day Year 7's
2022	12:00pm	
5 th September	08:40am -	All students start school
2022	3:00pm	