



June 2022

New Student Induction Letter 2022-2023

Dear Parent/Guardian,

I am writing to inform you of the arrangements for the beginning of the academic year, **September 2022**.

Friday 2nd September

- There will be Welcome/Induction programmes for **all** new students to the Senior School.
- **All students should arrive at school in school uniform or suits for 6th Form students.**
- **New boarding students** Arrive between 8.15am and 8.30am.
- **New day students** to arrive from 8.30am for a 9.00am start. See registration locations below.
- Boarding should arrive 30 minutes before their Induction programme begins and meet the boarding staff at the **Tower Entrance** at the front of the main school building.
- Day students should arrive 15 minutes before their programme begins. Signs will be placed around the school to direct students to the correct locations:
 - **All Year 7 students** – Please enter the College via the College Chapel (door near the main car park).
 - **New students in Years 8, 9 and 10** – Please go directly to the Old Library.
 - **All Year 12 students** – Please go directly to the Rosmini Sixth Form Centre.

- We hope you will also be able to join us at 4.30pm for a **Drinks Reception** on the Fountain Lawn, hosted by the Headmaster.
- **There will be no school buses on this day.**

Sunday 4th September

- Returning boarders arrive
- Picnic for the boarding community, students, parents and staff from 2.00pm to 4.00pm. Further information and invites will be sent out in due course.

Monday 5th September

- Classes will begin for all students (the normal School Bus service will be in operation). On arrival at school students should go to their Tutor Base for registration. Tutors will notify students via their Tutor Group Google Classroom where registration will take place.

Yours sincerely,
Mr Clement Donegan
Deputy Head, Pastoral & Boarding



**RATCLIFFE
COLLEGE**

**Ratcliffe College Induction for All Year 7 Students
Friday 2nd September 2022**

TIMINGS	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
9.00am	Headmaster's Welcome and Prayer Head of Year 7, Miss Sapiano - 'Who's who'	College Chapel
9.20am	Tutor Groups, Tutor Time and Tour	Tutor Bases
10.20am	Break	Refectory
10.50am	Head of Year Assembly on Pastoral Care at Ratcliffe College Student Briefing - PSHCE and RSE Briefing, Music, Sport	College Chapel
12.00pm	Lunch	Refectory
1.00pm	Student Briefings - Co-Curricular & Wellbeing, Safeguarding, Medical and Behaviour	College Chapel
1.30pm	Chaplaincy Introduction	College Chapel
2.15pm	Drama Activities - ice breakers	Theatre
3.00pm	Bring Your Own Device, Email Account, Google Drive and AUP	Computer Rooms 1 and 2 Emery Library
3.30pm	BBQ for Students until 4.30pm	The South Terrace
4.30pm	Drinks Reception for Parents	The Fountain Lawn



**Ratcliffe College Induction for New Students in Years 8, 9 and 10
Friday 2nd September 2022**

TIMINGS	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
9.00am	Headmaster's Welcome and Prayer	College Chapel
9.10am	Meet your Head of Year: ❖ Year 8 – Mrs Battrum ❖ Year 9 – Miss Corbinzolu ❖ Year 10 – Mr Wardle	Old Library
9.45am	Orientation Tour	Ratcliffe College Campus
10.20am	Break	Refectory
10.40am	Student Briefings - Co-Curricular & Wellbeing, Safeguarding, Medical and Behaviour	College Chapel
11.10am	Chaplaincy Introduction and Stations of the Cross Walk	College Chapel
12.10pm	Lunch	Refectory
1.00pm	Bring Your Own Device, Email Account and Google Drive and AUP	Computer Rooms 1 and 2
2.00pm	Student Briefing - PSHCE and RSE Briefing, Music, Sport	Stations of the Cross
3.00pm	Meeting with Heads of Year and Tutors	Old Library
3.30pm	BBQ for Students until 4.30pm	The South Terrace
4.30pm	Drinks Reception for Parents	The Fountain Lawn



Ratcliffe College Induction for **ALL** Year 12 Students
Friday 2nd September 2022

TIMINGS	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
9.00am	Headmaster's Address and Welcome Liturgy	College Chapel
9.20am	Year Group Meeting - Introduction to the Sixth Form Life and Meet the Tutors	Sixth Form Centre
9.50am	Student Briefings - Games, Co-Curricular, Wellbeing, Medical, Chaplaincy, IT	Sixth Form Centre
10.20am	Break	Sixth Form Centre Café
10.45am	Introduction to Leadership Roles and Responsibilities and Year 12 Prefect Duties	Sixth Form Centre
11.15am	Tutor Time	Tutor Bases
12.00pm	Lunch with Sixth Form Tutors and Mr Spencer, Head of Year 12	Refectory
1.00pm	Workshop on Transition into Sixth Form and Study Skills, delivered by Bright Futures/Study Skills Zone	Peter Daley Suite
3.30pm	Orientation tour for new students with their buddies BBQ for Students until 4.30pm	Around School The South Terrace
4.30pm	Drinks Reception for Parents	The Fountain Lawn