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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am delighted to welcome your son/daughter to St. Joseph's RC High School, and I hope they are as excited as we are about meeting them in September.

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself. I am Mr Seghiri, Head of Key Stage 3, and will be working closely with Miss Read, Head of Year 7, to ensure your son/daughter makes the best possible start at St. Joseph's RC High School. Welcome to our school community.

I understand that many young people may feel a mixture of excitement, fear and nerves as they get ready to start secondary school. I am very aware of how big this transition is, but do not worry, our school community will do everything we can to help your son/daughter, and you, settle into a new routine here at St. Joseph's RC High School.

We have the highest aspirations for every one of our students and are here to support, challenge and nurture your child to reach their full potential. My expectations are clear: students should maintain excellent attendance and punctuality, as well as high standards of behaviour and enthusiasm for learning. But above all, I expect students be polite and respectful towards one another, championing each other's successes - Together Everyone Achieves More.

This is the start of a 5-7-year partnership working together to ensure your child receives the very best education, and along with your support, we hope to produce some of the best academic and pastoral outcomes possible.

If there are any issues you would like to discuss regarding your child's progress, concerns or general enquires then please do not hesitate to contact Miss Read or myself.

Head of Year 7 – Miss Read; kread@sjhs.newport.sch.uk

Head of Key Stage 3 - Mr Seghiri; tseghiri@sjhs.newport.sch.uk

I am sure that your child will have a wonderful transition experience, and I am looking forward to sharing their successful journey through secondary education.

Yours faithfully, Mr Seghiri