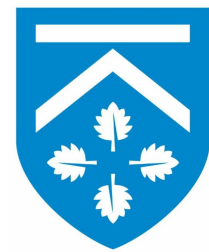


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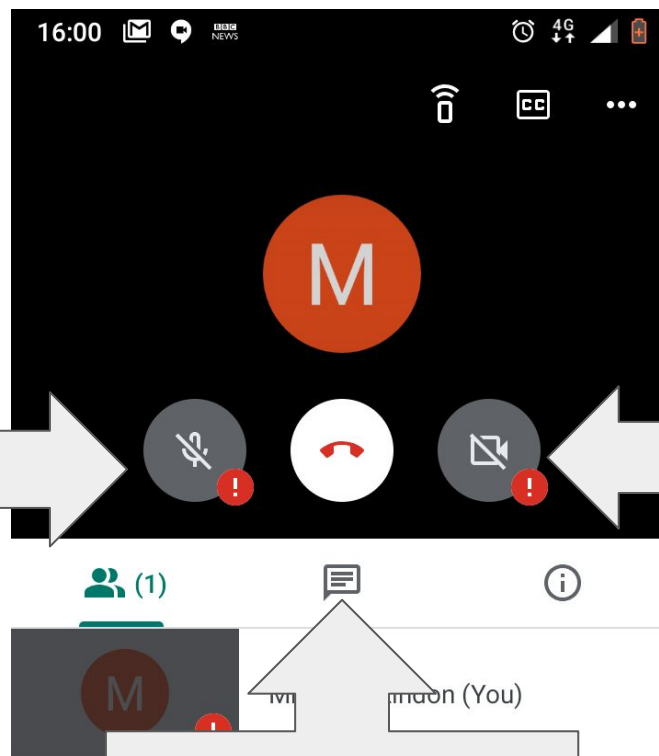
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- Microphone access
- Asking a question

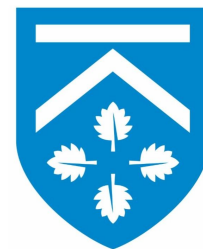
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You can type a question into the chat facility and our Pastoral Team will respond.

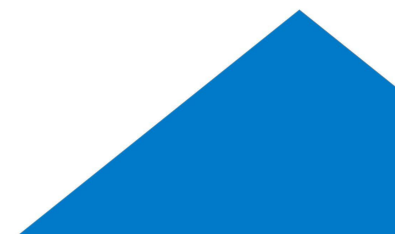


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Welcome to Kepier

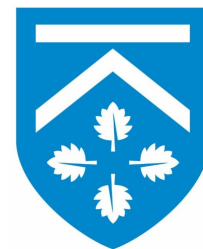
March 2022





Mrs Ashton
Principal

Key Staff



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Vice Principals



Mr Langley
Curriculum



Mr Kilkeny
SENDCO



Mr Devlin
Safeguarding Lead



Mr Warkman
Careers and Intervention



Miss Allen
**Assistant
Principal**



Mr Van-Lindon
**Senior
Leader**

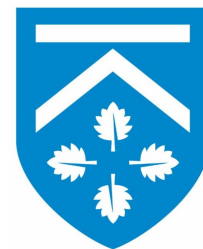
Our Vision



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Key Information

- Heavily oversubscribed.
- Over 250 learners will be joining us in year 7 from 19 schools.
- Ofsted Section 8 (one day monitoring visit) in December 2021 reported the following:

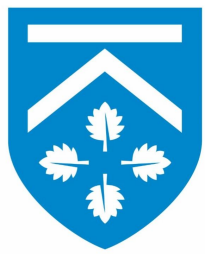
“Pastoral leaders celebrate both the academic and personal gains that pupils make.”

“This is a rapidly improving school.”

“You have made significant improvements to all of the weaknesses identified at the previous inspection.”

- Ofsted Section 5 (two day inspection) in March 2022. The report is due to be published in the next few weeks and we will share this with you.

Our Offer...



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This year's transition programme will consist of:

- Class Charts - all learners and parents to be issued with their online portal information. Class Charts is Kepier's platform for; behaviour; attendance; two way messaging; announcements; messaging; timetables; homework.
- Virtual Parents' Information Evenings will take place on 29th March 2022 and in July 2022.
- Individual welcome phone calls from the pastoral team.
- SEND transition programme - liaising with primary schools. Kepier SEND team will attend reviews / planning meetings.
- Learner profile meeting to take place with key primary school staff and key staff from Kepier including SEND and Pastoral.
- Transition visits.
- School Sports Games activities.
- Summer Schools - to be confirmed following parental feedback.

Transition Visits



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- All learners will attend a Kepier between now and July with their school. These visits take place on a Friday afternoon and learners complete a range of activities.
- Additional SEND transition visits will take place on Monday 20th and Tuesday 21st June 2022; in agreement with parents / carers and current school.
- Every learner is invited to experience a day in the life of Kepier;
 - Monday 27th June; Newbottle; Shiney Row and Burnside
 - Tuesday 28th June; Dubmire; East Rainton and Eppleton
 - Wednesday 29th June; Bernard Gilpin; Gillas Lane and learners from Non-Feeder schools.
 - Further details will be shared by May Half Term.
- Week commencing 4th July 2022, bookable follow up Parent and Learner visits during the school day.

Supporting your child



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- Kepier offers an extensive support network for all learners, this support includes:
 - Dedicated Coach (Form Tutor).
 - Designated non teaching Year Manager.
 - Designated Year 6/7 SEND Support staff.
 - Designated SEND Lead Learner Support.
 - Senior Leaders with responsibility for; Safeguarding; Wellbeing; Transition; Behaviour and Attendance.
 - Access to School Nursing Teams.
 - Dedicated School Counsellor.
 - Access to a range of external agencies including; Brook Listening Services; St Oswalds Bereavement Counselling; Resilience Nurses.
- Over 40 different extra curricular activities take place each week from 2.50-3.50pm.

Summer School



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Kepier are looking at the viability of hosting a summer School, 22nd - 26th August 2022.

Cost for 5 days activity programme circa £100.

Activities include; Sports, Wellbeing Events and Lesson Taster Sessions.





Class Charts



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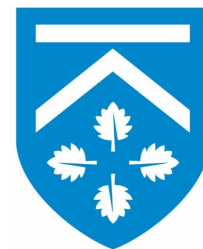
Kepier uses Class Class Charts as our main communication method with Parents and Carers:

- Recording of positive and negative behaviour
- Recording attendance and reporting absences
- Sending announcements
- Two way messaging
- Viewing your child's homework calendar

You will be issued with your login details in the coming weeks.

Class Charts can be downloaded free here:

<https://www.classcharts.com/parent/login>

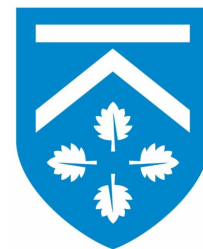


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September 2022

- Year 7 learners start Kepier on Tuesday 6th September 2022 at 8.30am.
- Data Collection information including the following agreements will need to be completed prior to your child starting Kepier (will be shared with parents and carers after May Half Term for completion):
 - Data Collection form
 - Biometric consent
 - Trips and Visits consent
 - Photograph consent
 - Book Borrowing form
 - First Aid / Medical information



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Our uniform



Our uniform consists of:

- Blue blazer with logo
- Charcoal grey trousers
- Clip on tie (band of colour to represent year group, Purple)
- White shirt
- Black leather shoes

Only available at Total Sport

Uniform Ordering



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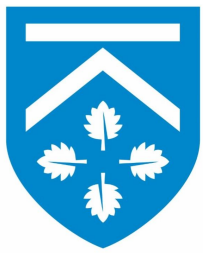
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Uniform can be pre-ordered during Parent and Learner visits, week commencing 4th July 2022 consultations. Payment can be made on collection.

You can pre order uniform by visiting Total Sport or ordering online.



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Ebacc Pathway



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The EBacc is a set of subjects at GCSE that keeps young people's options open for further study and future careers.

The EBacc is:

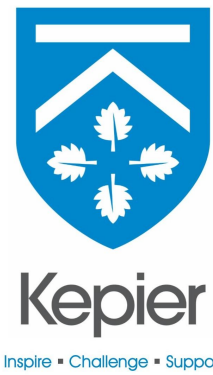
- English language and literature
- maths
- the sciences
- geography or history
- a language

Your child will follow the Ebacc pathway in Y9. Only a few learners will follow a different pathway.

The School will determine which learners they are.

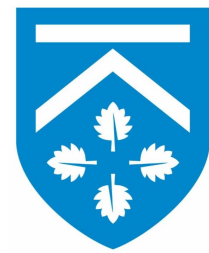
The government's ambition is to see 75% of pupils studying the EBacc subject combination at GCSE by 2022, and 90% by 2025.

Contact us



- If you would like to discuss your child's transition to Kepier please contact reception who will forward your query onto the relevant member of staff:
- Reception - **Phone:** 0191 5128960
 E-mail: info@Kepier.com

What next?

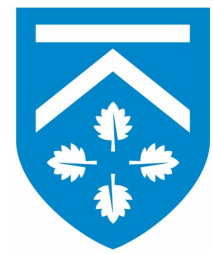


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- Complete the Google Form form;
[Year 6 information, March 2022](#)
- Download Class Charts and Parent Pay App
- Measure your child's waist and chest size (uniform is based on size not age)

Thank you



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....and we look forward to working with you over the coming months.

This presentation will be uploaded to our website in within 48 hours.