

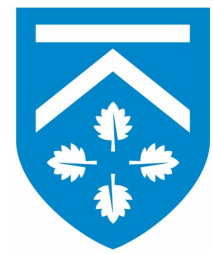
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Welcome to Kepier

March 2024

Our Vision



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Headteacher

Mr Devlin

Deputy Headteachers



Mr Kilkenny
SENDCO



Mr Langley
Curriculum



Mr Warkman
**Careers and
Intervention**



Miss Allen
**Safeguarding
Lead**



Mr Van-Lindon
**Behaviour /
Transition**

Key staff



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Mr Haley

Year Manager



Mrs King

SEND Learner
Support Lead

Pastoral Leaders



Mr Bisset
Attendance

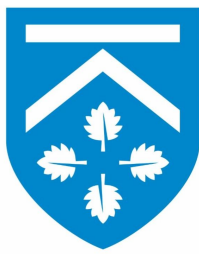


Mrs Maitland
Behaviour



Mrs Preece
Safeguarding

Our Offer



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Parents' Information Evenings

Onsite Parents' Evenings will take place on Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd July 2024 (5pm start). Places must be pre booked.

SEND Transition

Liaising with primary schools, Kepier SEND team will attend reviews / planning meetings.

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, timetables, homework.

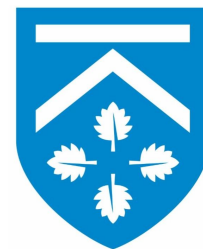
Visits to Primary Schools

Kepier staff visit your child's school to introduce themselves and talk about life at Kepier, answering questions from learners.

Meeting with Primary Staff

During the summer term, key staff will meet to discuss learners and how best to support their transition.

Transition Visits



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Individual School Visits

Visits take place as agreed with your child's primary and learners complete a range of activities.

SEND Transition

Additional transitional event will take place on Tuesday 18th June 2024; in agreement with parents / carers and current school.

Two days in the life of Kepier.

(Details will be shared before May Half Term)

Every learner is invited to a experience two days in the life of Kepier.

Monday 24th and Tuesday 25th June

Bernard Gilpin, Dubmire, East Rainton, Gillas Lane and Shiney Row

Wednesday 26th and Thursday 27th June

Newbottle, Burnside, Non-Feeder schools

Guided Tours

Week commencing 1st July 2024, 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
 - Pastoral 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 Oswald's Bereavement Counselling, Resilience Nurses
- Over 40 different extra curricular activities take place each week from 2.50-3.50pm

Class Charts



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Kepier uses *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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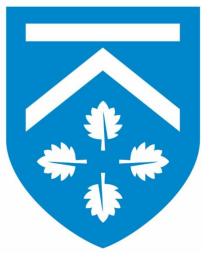


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- Year 7 learners start Kepier on **Tuesday 10th September 2024** at 8.30am.
- Data Collection information including the following agreements will need to be completed prior to your child starting Kepier (will be shared with parents and carers after May Half Term for completion):
 - Data Collection form
 - Biometric consent
 - Trips and Visits consent
 - Photograph consent
 - Book Borrowing form
 - First Aid / Medical information

Uniform



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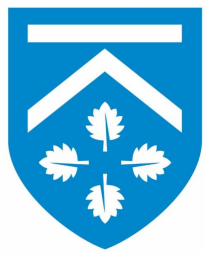
Our uniform consists of:

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

Only available at
Emblematic

<https://emblematic.co.uk/schools/kepier/>

Uniform Ordering



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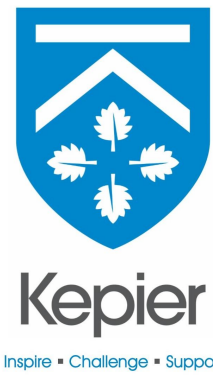
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Uniform can be pre-ordered during Parent and Learner visits, week commencing 1st July 2024 consultations. Payment can be made on collection.

You can pre order uniform by visiting Emblematic or ordering online.

Pop up uniform shops will be open the summer holidays. Dates and times will be published in the summer term.

Ebacc Pathway



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:

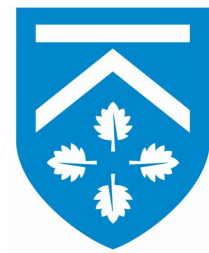
- English language and literature
- maths
- the sciences
- geography or history
- a language

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

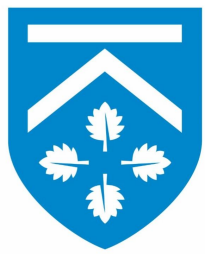


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- If you would like to discuss your child's transition to Kepier please contact reception who will forward your query onto the relevant member of staff:
- Reception - **Phone:** 0191 5128960
 E-mail: info@Kepier.com

What Next?



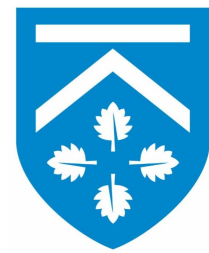
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- Complete the Google Form form which will be shared via email

[Y6 Information](#)

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

