



Welcome

A very warm welcome to Cheltenham Bournside School

Hello, Year 6 families! We are really looking forward to welcoming you to Cheltenham Bournside School in September - you've made a great choice. This Bulletin, along with our website, is where you can find out what it is like to be a part of our wonderful school. We will be sharing the details of our Transition Week, our expectations of Year 7 students, uniform information, important dates and lots more.

Please accept your place via Gloucestershire County Council as soon as possible. This applies even if you have a sibling already at the school. You will then receive an online Student Enrolment Form from us later this month.

To keep in touch, we will also email a monthly Transition Bulletin to the parent/guardian email address we have on record. They will also be shared on our [Transition 2024 webpage](#) in case you would like to share or revisit the information.

Lottie, our school welfare dog (pictured), belongs to me. She is an important and popular part of our pastoral team and has a calming influence on many students (of all ages!) and always raises a smile.



We cannot wait to meet you!

- Sally Groves, Assistant Headteacher and Transition Lead

Transition Week: Monday 1 - Friday 5 July, 2024

Save the date: All new Year 7s are invited to join us for a brilliant transition week at the beginning of July. You will get to explore your new school, meet teachers and your tutor group, and take part in a range of learning experiences, including interactive lessons, an inclusive sports afternoon, and a music showcase.

Please note that primary schools are aware of Transition Week and there is no action for parents/carers to take at this stage.



Key diary dates

Monday 1 July - Friday 5 July, 2024

- New Year 7s Transition Week

Wednesday 4 September, 2024

- First day at Cheltenham Bournside School! (Year 7 and Year 12 only)

One school, six house communities

At the heart of our school is our house system. Your house becomes your school family and brings together students of all ages to use their skills, talents, and perseverance to earn house points and contribute to its success.

You will find out which house you belong to in June.

Attenborough



Frank



Hawking



Owens



Parks



Rowling

