

A letter from your Form Tutor

Hello 7 Bronte,

My name is Mr Durant and I am going to be your Form Tutor at Wallington High School for Girls, when you join us in September. If you click on the link under my photo I have made a video message for you.

In September, I will meet with you in the morning in our Form Room. I will take the register then we will spend time together during Form Time organising ourselves for the day ahead and getting to know what goes on in school. Sometimes we will go to Assembly and meet up with the rest of our Year, or the whole school. I will be the teacher you talk to if you have a worry about something or need some good advice. I will track your progress and your successes in school, and I will be able to help you to settle in and make friends.

As well as looking after you, I am a Geography teacher and teach classes in all year groups from year 7 to year 13. In Geography we teach all about the world and the people who live on it, which means that we are big fans of different places, people, landscapes and cultures. I also help with the senior rugby for years 10-13.

Teaching and working with people, helping them to learn, is something I love to do. I have taught at Wallington for the past 5 years and I really enjoy being part of the school community – there are so many opportunities and things to be a part of and it's always very exciting to see all the different things students do both in school and beyond. Outside of school the things I enjoy mostly involve music and sport, though not usually at the same time!

Starting a new school is an exciting thing but it's perfectly normal to be a bit nervous about it too – don't worry, everyone will be feeling the same and you'll soon settle in, make friends and get to know how everything works. The most important thing to remember is that you won't remember everything, but that's ok! And it's always best to have a conversation about things rather than keeping them to yourself.

I look forward to seeing you all in September,

Mr Durant
7 Bronte – Form Tutor



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watch Mr Durant's
video message to
you

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