

Below you will find information about our LEAP arrivals, as well as a form to complete for attendance at the LEAP lunch. I hope this is helpful, but please send further questions to us if you're unsure of anything. Please do ensure that you read through this information carefully, as all of it is important.

Arrivals

Please arrive at the Barbara Karan Auditorium (BKA) between 8:30 - 10:30am on Tuesday 29th August. We have a [campus map available here](#), and the BKA is joined to the Music School, which is marked as number 3. There will be signposting around the school to bring you to the right place.

On arrival, we will ask pupils to hand in their passports, as we will need to take original copies of these. Passports will be stored safely throughout the LEAP week, before being delivered to boarding houses for the start of term.

Once pupils are checked in with us, families will be taken on tours of the school and have time to enjoy refreshments and pastries. The morning is quite relaxed and we often enjoy seeing families getting to know each other and having the time to have a chat.

Luggage

During the LEAP week, pupils will live together in one house, which may not be their permanent boarding house. To avoid pupils having to unpack all of their things and re-pack them a week later, we ask that they separate their belongings into those they need during the LEAP week and those they do not.

Therefore, we ask that all pupils bring a 'LEAP' bag with everything they need for the week, separate to the rest of their belongings. Pupils wear casual clothes during LEAP and will need some sportswear as well. Additionally, a notebook and basic stationery items will be helpful, and don't forget to keep any toiletries and a towel in the LEAP bag as well.

On arrival, pupils will take their LEAP bag to the LEAP boarding house, while the rest of their luggage will be labelled with their name. Non-LEAP luggage will be delivered to the pupils' boarding houses ready for their arrival at the start of term.

The LEAP Lunch and parent session

Parents and pupils are all invited to join us for lunch on Tuesday 29th August, where they will be able to meet boarding house teams and other families joining the same houses. So that we have all of the information required, [please could you complete the form here before Friday 11th August 2023](#).

Departures

This is always the most difficult bit for families, but we're here to support you and your children. At 2:30, parents and pupils will need to say goodbye, so that all of our pupils can head off on the first part of the LEAP week. They'll have time to settle in before heading out on a scavenger hunt around the school!