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Dear Parent/Guardian,

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to Ysgol Y Strade. The local authority has confirmed a place for your child in September 2021 and we look forward to meeting you in the weeks to come. Our aim over the next few weeks is to try and make the process of changing school as stress free and smooth as possible.

We have already visited every feeder school to collect important information regarding every pupil. All feeder schools have also participated in a virtual question and answer session with current Ysgol Y Strade pupils.

Here are the arrangements for the next half term to help your child to settle at Strade. **14/06 – 25/06** - Pupils will experience life at the school and have taster lessons. Unfortunately, due to current circumstances we will not be able to invite every primary school on the same day and your child will remain in their primary school bubble for the entire day.

Date	School
14/06/21	Ysgol Gwenllian
15/06/21	Ysgol Trimsaran
16/06/21	Ysgol Brynsierfel
17/06/21	Ysgol Dewi Sant
18/06/21	Ysgol Yr Hendy
21/06/21	Ysgol Llangennech
22/06/21	Ysgol Y Felin
23/06/21	Ysgol Parc Y Tywyn
24/06/21	Ysgol Pum Heol
25/06/21	Ysgol Y Ffwrnes

- Food will be provided by the school canteen, and we ask kindly that you ensure your child brings £2.60 in correct change to pay for this. Alternatively, you are welcome to provide your child with a lunch box for the day.
- Your child will **NOT** need to bring their bag.
- Ysgol Y Strade will provide transport for all pupils for the taster day. Your child will need to attend their primary as usual on the day of the visit. We will collect all pupils by bus by 9:15 and will be returning all pupils by 2:30 to the Primary school.

We kindly ask all parents/guardians to follow this link below and fill all relevant information before the taster day.

<http://bit.ly/Blwyddyn7Medi2021>

Virtual Open Evening – 07/07/21 - More information to follow.

Please note that under Welsh Government guidance, every pupil over the age of 11 is required to wear a face covering within the school building. Therefore, to conform to this policy, it will be expected that any pupils over 11 years of age (before the day of your visit) wear a face covering in the school building and on the bus. The school will react to any policy change the government decide prior to your child's visit. The school will provide your child with a mask before they leave their primary school.

If you have any questions about our arrangements then please do not hesitate to contact me by email swyddfa@ysgolystrade.org or by phone. Further information is also available on our website www.ysgolystrade.cymru or on twitter @Ysgol_Strade. I look forward to meeting you soon.

Yours sincerely

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