



# Samuel Ryder Academy

## Education for a changing world

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Welcome New Year 7's

Year 7 may be hard in your first couple of weeks, but you will begin to settle in after a while. As there are about 210 new students it is likely that you will make many new friends. Also, the teachers will help you if you need anything. The staff are very welcoming and are not strict; however, they do have boundaries.

Additionally, at lunch, there are many activities you can do such as clubs and house events. Clubs are held before, during and after the school day. Some clubs I have taken a particular liking to are athletics and football club. Throughout the academic year, there are many internal and external competitions you can compete in. You will be split into houses/forms where you will earn house points for your house/forms. The more house points you have the more rewards you can earn.

What I have enjoyed the most about SRA is the wide variety of activities, kind staff and amazing facilities. However, you may enjoy other features of SRA. My favourite lesson is PE because the teachers make the lessons fun. There is a range of languages you can learn such as French and Spanish.

Due to lockdown, we have missed out on most of the trips that are available throughout Year 7. Although I haven't experienced most of the trips, I know that they would have been fantastic and if everything goes right you will be able to go on these adventures.

In conclusion, I think SRA is an awe-inspiring school that can bring out the best in any student. Lastly, the best thing about SRA is their ability to help teach any student whether they struggle to learn or need more help than others.

Thank you for reading my letter.

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