

# Ready... Steady... Ryburn!

**Receive your school place offer. Welcome to Ryburn!**

**Follow Ryburn on social media for a taste of what's to come**

'Ryburn Valley High School' on Facebook and YouTube, @RVHS\_school on Twitter and Instagram

**Register for a bus pass, if you intend to travel by school bus**

From around April - see [www.wymetro.com/schools/applications](http://www.wymetro.com/schools/applications)

**Register for free school meals**

Even if you don't wish to have school dinners, it's worth registering as school gets funding to support your child, which helps with things like trips and equipment. Many families have lost income during the pandemic, check if you are eligible and apply here: <http://bit.ly/calderdale-fsm>

**Meet a member of our Transition Team when we visit your primary school.\***

(May/June)

**Check out the 'Starting at Ryburn' page on our website**

Here you'll find information, virtual tours and more, with new content added as September approaches [www.rvhs.co.uk/starting-at-ryburn](http://www.rvhs.co.uk/starting-at-ryburn)

**Come to our Welcome Evening\* and meet your form group**

5 July

**Complete paperwork including contact forms, medical info etc**

**Spend a day at Ryburn on Transition Day\***

(July - date TBC)

**Receive and read your transition book over the summer holidays**

**Go shopping for uniform and equipment**

**Your first day of term!**

Tuesday 7 September 2021

This is your checklist to get prepared for starting at Ryburn in September. Stick it on your fridge or noticeboard and tick off each item as you do it, step by step getting closer to being a Ryburn student. We're really looking forward to you joining us!

In addition to the Transition activities listed here, students with an EHCP or who need a little more support take part in an extended transition programme run by our SEND Team. This provides more opportunities to get used to your new school, ensuring everyone feels confident and excited about starting here. We'll be in touch with students directly.

\* We're planning and hoping to make these in-person events. But of course, the pandemic sometimes has other ideas. All events are subject to change, and may be replaced by online events if the situation requires it. Whatever happens, we will let you know, and we're absolutely committed to ensuring you have plenty of support to help you make the best start at Ryburn.

