

Queen Elizabeth II High School

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Our Ref: LMI

Friday 23rd May 2025

Dear Parent/Guardian,

After the TT holidays, Queen Elizabeth II High School PE Department will be holding a Transition Sports Club every Tuesday after the school day. We started this initiative in 2017 with the idea of introducing students to High School before they make the transition in September. This proved to be a huge success and every student that attended the club regularly got to meet and develop rapport with PE staff, familiarise themselves with the school, and make friends from other schools. It was evident who had been attending the club on both the official transition days and when the students arrived at the school in September. We were very proud of the fact that it made lots of students feel more comfortable at a time that can often be daunting for an 11-year old making the step to High School.

The one-hour transition sessions are based on having fun, meeting people and trying a range of sports. It is for all students, regardless of experience in sport, and I encourage every student in the Year 6 age group in the West catchment area to come along and give it a try. We had between 30 and 40 students consistently last year but I would love to see that number improve and in particular see more girls coming along to the clubs. We will be taking part in activities such as Rounders, Athletics, Netball, Hockey, Football, Tag Rugby and Basketball amongst other things. It will be lots of fun and I very much hope to see your child there.

This session will run on a Tuesday after school 3.45pm-4.45pm at QEII High School. This will start on Tuesday 10th June and it will run for 5 weeks with Tuesday 8th July being the last one. Students will meet in the Sports Hall at QEII but will have use of the changing rooms if needed.

If your child would like to attend, please fill out the attached permission form and bring it along to the first session. Students must have/be wearing appropriate clothing for outdoor activities, bring their own drinks bottle and have the signed permission slip with them to take part. Travel to and from the session is the responsibility of the parent/guardian.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at <u>qe2enquiries@sch.im</u> for the attention of Mrs Miller.

We look forward to welcoming your child to the sessions.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Miller Deputy Head of Physical Education	
Student Name:	
\Box I give permission for my child to attend the Year 6 Sports Club on a Tuesday at QEII High School 3.45pm – 4.45pm, beginning 10 th June 2025.	
EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS (Name and Mobile):	
MEDICAL CONDITIONS:	
METHOD OF TRAVELLING HOME:	
Parent / Guardian Name	
Parent / Guardian Signature Please bring this form along to the first session	