

Cranborne Middle School
Dorset
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Dear future Y4 friend,

I hope you're happy and are excited to start CMS, I know I was when it was the day before I but I was nervous as well (it's okay to be nervous as we're only human after all), all being nervous and excited I barely got any sleep the night before. I was scared because I was one of the few people who were coming from my first school but it turned out to be fine and I am sure you will be too. I'm going to explain my first few days at CMS and my journey with getting used to and making new friends.

The first day I was really scared but I liked the uniform, I went on the bus and I sat next to a friend from my road, we talked a bit about how we were feeling and before we knew it we were there. It was big, we followed the others to the top playground (where the Y6 and Y5 go, the Y7 and Y8 go to the bottom playground). Everyone played until we had to go down to the hall where we had our first assembly (the assembly was about welcoming everyone).

After assembly we went to our classroom, the first day we found out what time tables were and got used to the classroom and found more about the other children. I got to know some people who in the long run would be a great new friends.

Finding my way around the school was a bit hard at first but I got used to it. My favourite time of the week was buddy time. My buddy was amazing and fun. I noticed her around school when it wasn't buddy time, buddies are there so that you

can talk to them and in buddy time you do stuff to get to know them and trust them (lots of the activities were amazing, like the blind obstacle).

I hope you like *CMS* and have a great time here,
Love Katie