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### Year 5 Taster Day at The Dean Academy

Dear Year 5 Students and Parents/Carers,

We are thrilled to invite Year 5 pupils to attend an exciting **Taster Day at The Dean Academy**. It will take place on **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2026**, from **8:45am to 3:00pm**. Final arrangements will be shared with you by your child's primary school.

During the day, pupils will experience a typical day at The Dean Academy, taking part in four engaging lessons alongside breaktime and lunchtime. They will learn in specialist classrooms, meet our enthusiastic staff, and experience first-hand the positive culture, high expectations, and strong sense of community that make The Dean Academy such a special place to learn.

Transport to and from the academy will be organised by The Dean Academy, so no travel arrangements are required from parents or carers.

A free lunch will be provided, and dietary requirements will have been collected in advance. Pupils are also welcome to bring a packed lunch if they prefer.

To celebrate the day, photographs and videos may be taken and shared on school platforms and in newsletters to showcase the experiences on offer at The Dean Academy. Please indicate your consent on the attached permission slip if you are happy for your child to appear in any images or recordings.

We are confident this Taster Day will inspire pupils, build their confidence, and help them feel excited about the next stage of their educational journey.

Please return the completed photo permission slip to your child's primary school, who will share it with us on the day. If you have any questions, please contact Tom Fessey, Assistant Headteacher: [tfessey@thedeanacademy.org](mailto:tfessey@thedeanacademy.org).

We very much look forward to welcoming Year 5 pupils to The Dean Academy.

**Tom Fessey**  
Assistant Headteacher & Head of Transition



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### Year 5 Taster Day - Permission Slip

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

- I give permission for my child to be photographed and/or filmed during the day.  
 I do NOT give permission for my child to be photographed and/or filmed.

Parent/Carer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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