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Forming firm foundations together for further discussion at home

Since 2014 Funpact has worked with 100s of families supporting both parents/carers and pre/teens together.

We have worked in 25 schools in West London running 3 courses facilitated by our large team including CAMHs MSc students/graduates, financial experts, mentors and lawyers all with the relevant expertise and experience.

Transition to Secondary

This course comprises 2 workshops – 1 in primary and 1 in the secondary school for year 6's with support for both parent/carer and child ensuring they BOTH feel ready for this new chapter, topics covered include: reading a timetable, new friendships, independent travel, mobile phone ownership and handling homework.

Bridging The Gap

This course comprises 6 sessions – for year 7-9 pupils WITH their parent/carer focusing on the important aspects of growing up and becoming more independent such as: emotions and the teenage brain, building good friendships, social media and citizenship and financial literacy.

Ambition 2 Success

This fun and interactive 6 session course is for pupils in secondary school years 7-11 and their parent/carer. Pupils are chosen by the school to attend to support them to reach their full potential at school. The course focuses on supporting the pupil to create a positive trajectory for themselves whilst also supporting their parent/carer. Topic include: setting ambitions, decision making and how to overcome obstacles along the way to achieving in life.

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**A unique opportunity for parents and their year 6 child to prepare for transition to secondary school
TOGETHER**

'A fantastic opportunity for our year 6's' - headteacher

For year 6's and their parents/carers
Helping to prepare pupils both practically and emotionally with transition
Ensuring that year 6's leave primary ready for the next chapter and that the families are engaged with the new secondary school ready for September



Part one – in primary schools – running in 20 primary schools in H&F in 2021
For year 6's in their current primary school fun and interactive activities on:

- Learning to read a secondary school timetable
- The art of friendship making
- Building skills of independence and experiencing 'a day in year 7'
- Understanding the difference between primary and secondary school

Part two - One evening or summer afternoon in secondary schools
For year 6's and their parents/carers in their next school focusing on:

- Independent travel
- Mobile phone safety
- Handling homework
- Getting to know the new school
- Making new friends

Before pupils start secondary school they and their parents/carers will:

- Have started to get to know other families who will be part of the school
- Feel confident about coping with independent travel
- Learn about owning mobile phones, contracts and keeping safe
- Had the opportunity to make new friends ready for September
- Feel positive and prepared as they enter this exciting new chapter in life

An award-winning course in West London

For pupils in year 7-9 with their
parents/carers run in school

Supporting parents/carers with their
child's needs as they become more
independent

Evidence has shown course helping with
attainment at school



**This is a fun and interactive 6 session evening course for
both parents/cares and pupils together
creating a firm foundation for further discussion at home**

By the end of the course pupils will have learnt:

- Resilience through focusing on their own qualities and uniqueness
- About peer pressure and building good friendships
- How to keep safe on and off-line with useful tips and tricks
- How money works, saving, spending and budgeting with opportunities for families to share and build on their own learning
- How to manage the difficult decisions in school and beyond
- Everyday and dilemmas and how to safe in the community

And parents/carers will also build confidence regarding:

- Their knowledge of crucial brain develop during adolescence
- Their understanding of the challenges teenagers face today and how to address and support their child through them



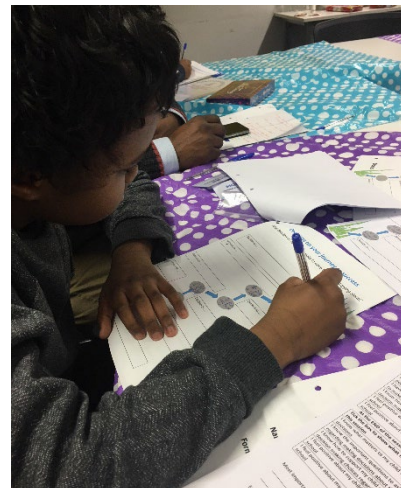
A unique opportunity for pupils and their parents to explore their potential in school and beyond TOGETHER

Successfully run in West London

Working with pupils and their parents/carers to ensure they make the most of their time at secondary school

Cohorts can include pupils from year 7 -11

Parents attend with their child creating a supportive relationship between the school and the family



- **6 session evening or day course (school permitting)**
- **Fun and interactive with quizzes and discussion**
- **Focusing and supporting the child to decide and plan for what they would like to achieve in life**
- **Helping the child to understand the true value to them of school**
- **Ensuring the parent/carer feels supported and has fun too!**

By the end of the 6 sessions the family will:

- Know what ambitions the pupil has for their future
- Have worked out a step by step plan to achieve their goals
- Understand the importance of decision and choice making
- Know how to handle their own barriers and pitfalls that prevent success
- Know about their own internal and external resources available to achieve
- Create a plan with the school for the pupil to reach their potential

Secondary schools hosting this course in 2021 -2022 TBC

(This bespoke course is only offered to families chosen by the school who have the most potential to achieve through this course)