

## **Welcome to all of our new learners**

My name is Daisy and I am a second year learner here at the college

I know that many of you may be feeling anxious about starting college or have lots of questions about what to expect when you arrive at college.

I was in your shoes this time last year and I just wanted to reassure you that you'll be absolutely fine. The college is a brilliant place to study, the teachers are fantastic, engaging and supportive and there's always somebody there to answer any questions you may have or provide any support you require.

The college aims to make sure that all learners have the best learning experience possible and I have certainly had this during my first year.

From being involved in the Learner Senedd through to having the opportunity to go on a Welsh Wellbeing Residential, the enrichment opportunities are brilliant.

Myself and other current learners will be on hand throughout your enrolment and induction week to talk to you about our experience and answer any questions you may have.

In the meantime, these are my key tips on helping you to get ready and get a head start for September:

**Tip 1:** Take a look at our dedicated enrolment and induction Webpage and browse the information and videos available. This will help you familiarise yourself with the support and activities on offer and sign up ready for any clubs or groups you would like to join.

**Tip 2:** Download our college app – this will help you have access to the latest news, events and college info right at your fingertips and also help you track your application and enrolment process

**Tip 3:** Take the opportunity to attend any subject meet and greet sessions you are invited to. These provide a perfect opportunity for you to meet your subject tutors and other learners who are going to be studying on the course with you.

**Tip 4:** Don't be afraid to ask any questions you may have. Our Dedicated Admissions Officers are available by email, telephone or in person or you can message them via the college's social media accounts

Finally!

**Tip 5:** Relax – Coming to college will be one of the best experiences you will have so relax and enjoy every moment!

Good luck for your GCSEs and I'm looking forward to seeing you all very soon!