Katie

When I first found out that I had been given St Augustine's as my first high school choice I was scared and upset because it wasn't the school I had chosen as my first choice. After coming to the welcome meeting and listening to all the other pupils speak positively about the school I felt a little bit better. Then when I started I was very nervous going to St Augustine's, I didn't know if I would fit in and worried about how people might treat me. I worried about if I would get into trouble for being slow at my work, or for not getting my homework in on time. It took me a little time but I soon realised that the teachers are all there to help us get through the day and help us work around and through our problems or the things we may struggle with. They help me find things that worked for me I worried about how I would make friends and whether any of my year would like me but I began to speak to others and not be as shy and I found that I made a lot of friends. I have made some of my best friends here at St Augustine's and I am glad that I was given this school as my choice. People scared me before I started telling me stories about the school but the school and the teachers are nothing like what I was told. I have found the environment to be positive and helpful and the teachers to be kind and helpful and positive too. The school offers a range of after school sports which I would highly recommend to you as I found that they are great to be a part of especially representing the school in matches against other schools. It makes you feel proud to be a part of the school, I played for the netball team and we had some wins it really helped with my confidence levels. I hope I have helped you all with my little letter the way last year's year 7 children did with me on my welcome meeting.

Have a great 5 years in St Augustine's it all starts here

Good luck stay positive