



12 July 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

### END OF YEAR LETTER

As we approach the end of a busy academic year, I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for the continued support you have given to both your child and the school.

#### End-of-Year Arrangements

This week, students are involved in various activities, including trips to Southend-on-Sea and Brighton; work experience placements for Year 10; UCAS preparations for Year 12; and sports day for Years 7 to 9.

Our whole school end-of-year Mass returns this year and will be held on Thursday 21st July at St Ignatius at 11.30am. Students will be escorted by teachers to and from St Ignatius, where they will be dismissed at 12.45pm. If you are collecting your child, please be aware of this earlier end to the day. Please note that Thursday 21st July, is the last day of term.

#### New Start Time For September 2022

I recently wrote to you following a consultation to inform you that the school day will begin at 8.35 am in September. Students are expected to arrive no later than 8.30 am.

School Day	Event
8.30 am	Student arrival and line-up
8.35 am - 9.05 am	Registration/Prep/Assembly
9.05 am - 9.55 am	Period 1
9.55 am - 10.45 am	Period 2
10.45 am - 11.05 am	Break
11.05 am - 11.55 am	Period 3
11.55 am - 12.45 pm	Period 4
12.45 pm - 1.30 pm	Lunch
1.30 pm - 2.20 pm	Period 5
2.20 pm - 3.10 pm	Period 6 and End of day/Start of Enrichment activities
3.10 pm	End of day/ Enrichment activities



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The school is open from 7.30am each morning to students who wish to attend the breakfast club.

**Start of Academic Year Arrangements**

There will be a staggered return to school for students and the details are listed below:

DATE	DETAILS
Friday 2nd September 2022	Selected Year 7 students Induction (9.00am-12.00 pm)
Monday 5th September 2022	Year 7 Day 1: Full timetable (8.35 am - 3.10 pm) Year 13: Enrolment and collection of timetables (9.00am-12.00 pm)
Tuesday 6th September 2022	Year 7 Day 2: Full timetable (8.35 am - 3.10 pm) Y8 Selected Students Induction (8.35 am - 3.10 pm) Y9 Selected Students Induction (8.35 am - 3.10 pm) Y12 Induction (8.35 am - 12.45 pm)
Wednesday 7th September 2022	<b>Whole School Returns:</b> Year 7 (8.35 am - 3.10 pm) Year 8 (8.35 am - 3.10 pm) Year 9 (8.35 am - 3.10 pm) Year 10 (8.35 am - 3.10 pm) Year 11 (8.35 am - 3.10 pm) Year 12 (8.35 am - 3.10 pm) Year 13 (8.35 am - 3.10 pm)
Wednesday 28th September 2022	Open Evening for Year 6 (Secondary Transfer) 4.00 pm - 8.00 pm

**\*Students are expected to arrive at school by 8.30am.**

**TERM DATES 2022-2023**

**Autumn Term**

Term Starts:

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2022

Term Ends:

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Half Term:

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October to  
Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2022

**Spring Term**

Term Starts:

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2023

Term Ends:

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023

Half Term:

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> February to  
Friday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2023

**Summer Term**

Term Starts:

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2023

Term Ends:

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2023

Half Term:

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May to  
Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2023

**INSET DAYS**

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2022

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2023

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2023

I wish everyone in our community a restful and enjoyable summer, and I look forward to seeing you all again in September.

Yours sincerely,



**Mr A English**  
**Headteacher**