



Thursday 8th September 2022

Dear Parents, Carers and Stakeholders,

I would like to take the opportunity to welcome you back to the new academic year. I hope you have enjoyed the summer and have had a good break.

The staff team and I are looking forward to working with our students this year to support them in achieving their full potential. I would also like to welcome all of our new starters. A new year represents new beginnings and new opportunities for us all.

As a school, we have set priorities for the next 3 years to support the development of the school:

1. Meet the interests and needs of our students and promote their mental well-being.
2. Teach each student essential values including the school's values and British Values.
3. Encompass the learning of functional skills to enable students to achieve in their field of interest.
4. Provide quality learning experiences to ensure that our students are able to deepen their knowledge and understanding.
5. Prepare students for a positive future in education, employment or training.

A few reminders

- Monday – Thursday, the school day begins at 9:00am and ends at 3:00pm. On Fridays, the school day begins at 9:00am and ends at 2:00pm. If your child is unable to attend school on that day, school will need to be contacted by 9:30am.
- Uniform for our 11-16s will consist of a black jumper, white shirt (white polo-shirts or t-shirts are allowed), black trousers (black tracksuit bottoms are allowed) and black shoes (black trainers are allowed).
- The last Thursday of every half term, we will continue to meet to celebrate our students' achievements and we love to have our parents and carers with us to be a part of encouraging their successes.

Your ongoing support is truly appreciated and we look forward to working with you all to provide the best education for our students.

Yours faithfully,

Antonique Watson

Head Teacher

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Term Dates



Academic Year 2022-2023

Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
INSET DAYS: 5 th , 6 th and 7 th September 2022 Monday 5 September 2022 to Friday 21 October 2022	INSET DAYS: 3 rd January 2023 Tuesday 3 January 2023 to Friday 17 February 2023	INSET DAYS: 17 th April 2023 Monday 17 April 2023 to Friday 26 May 2023
Half Term	Half Term	Half Term
Monday 31 October 2022 to Friday 16 December 2022	Monday 27 February 2023 to Friday 31 March 2023	Monday 5 June 2023 to Friday 16 July 2023