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Dear Parents and Carers,

End of Term Arrangements – Tutor Groups – Staffing Changes

As we approach the summer holidays, I'd like to share our arrangements for Wednesday 23rd July which is our last day of term.

School will begin at the usual time of 8.40am and normal lessons will take place until break time. At break time, children will have the opportunity to purchase food from their Year Group Food Pod. This will include a hot meal, and will be the only opportunity to purchase food.

After some time with their tutor, school will finish at 12.30pm. All children will be required to make their way home from school at this time.

Tutor Groups for 2025/2026

Due to staffing changes and to support a more bespoke tutor provision for our children, there will be some changes to tutor groups and to form tutors for next academic year. This includes the addition of tutor groups. This means there will be fewer children in each tutor group, providing higher levels of support for children.

You will be informed of your child's tutor when we return from school in September.

Whilst I appreciate that these changes can sometimes be tricky for children to adjust to, please know that Year Teams are working hard to ensure that all children receive the very best opportunity for success.

Staffing Changes 2025/2026

From September 2025, we will introduce a non-teaching Head of Year structure. This will again, provide more additional support to children during the day, and improve our timely communications with parents/ carers.

Due to the change to a non-teaching Head of Year Structure, I am pleased to welcome Mr Brookes, Mr Hunter and Mr Williams to our school from September.

The pastoral structure will therefore be:

,	Head of Year	Pastoral Support Officer	SLT Link
Year 7	Mr D Williams	Mrs L Gray	Mr B McCalla
Year 8	Mr D Hunter	Mrs A Ghias	Mr J Williams
Year 9	Mr R Snow	Ms N Mazhar	Mr J Neville
Year 10	Mr L Brookes	Mr J Nunn	Mrs J Platten
Year 11	Mr H Betts	Mrs M Stokell	Mr A Richardson
			Mrs L Hudson

Details of how to make contact with the year teams, will be shared in September. There will also be an opportunity to meet all pastoral staff shortly after we return in the new academic year.

Kindest regards,

Gemma Johnson

Principal