



Our ref: SJW/jlf

27th March 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Re: End of Term Update

As we approach the end of term, I wanted to write to provide you with some important information and reminders.

Last day of term – Thursday 28th March

In light of our students' ongoing preparations for GCSE, A-Level and vocational examinations, the school day and lessons will finish at the normal time of 3pm tomorrow. Period 6 lessons where these are scheduled for Sixth Form students will be taking place until 4pm as well as after school activities and detentions unless advised otherwise.

First day of term – Monday 15th April

Normal arrangements are in place for the start of the Summer Term. Students should arrive at school for 8.30am and will be reporting to their tutor rooms. We return on a Week A timetable. Students are reminded to ensure they have the necessary equipment for all lessons.

Staffing changes

A number of teaching staff are leaving us at the end of this term and we wish them all the very best and thank them for their support and service to the school.

Mr Heffernan (Teacher of Geography)

Miss Chandler (Teacher of Maths)

Ms Johnson (Temporary Teacher of English)

Miss Rasaiyaah will also be commencing maternity leave.

We are making a number of timetable changes and will be confirming arrangements and introducing new teachers to students and families at the start of the Summer Term.

Easter School and Easter Revision

Over the break many of our students will be undertaking exam preparations and revision for public examinations, which are scheduled to start early next term. Whilst we acknowledge the importance of revision, students are also encouraged to take regular rest breaks and to look after themselves.

Parents and carers of students in Year 11 have received details regarding [Easter School and Easter Revision](#) and the programme of in-school sessions for Year 11 and Year 13 is available [online](#).



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Summer Term menus and restaurant provision

Our new Summer menus will be published on the website over the Easter break and we look forward to launching a Salad Bar in the Restaurant, which will be available to students during lunch times from Monday 15th April. Students are reminded that breakfast is available, including free porridge, every morning from the Restaurant from 8.00am and of the need to ensure that their cashless catering account is charged up via ParentPay should they wish to purchase food in school.

Summer Term Key Dates

There is a range of activities, events and trips planned for the Summer Term, a number of which are highlighted below for your reference. Our full school calendar is published on the new school website. We wish all those participating in the Ski Trip to Italy, Music Tour to Edinburgh and Maths Trip to Florence this Easter a safe, enjoyable and memorable time.

W/C 15 th April	Year 12 Exams
Wednesday 1 st May	Year 8 (uv) Parents' Evening
Wednesday 8 th May	Year 8 (wx) Parents' Evening
W/C 13 th May	Year 9 Exams
W/C 3 rd June	Year 7 Exams
W/C 17 th June	Year 10 Exams
Monday 24 th June	Years 7-9 Sports Day
Wednesday 26 th June	Chance to Dance
Friday 28 th June	Year 13 Prom at High Rocks
Tuesday 2 nd July	Year 13 Flying Start Evening
Wednesday 3 rd July	Summer Concert
Thursday 4 th July	Sports Awards
W/C 8 th July	Year 12 Work Experience
Monday 8 th July	New Year 7 Parents' Induction Evening
Monday 8 th and Wednesday 10 th July	Sixth Form Induction
Wednesday 10 th July	New Year 12 Parents' Induction Evening
Thursday 11 th July	House Drama Competition
Saturday 13 th July	Hazefest

School Uniform

We recognise the value of having a uniform in encouraging identity with, and support for the school's ethos, establishing and reinforcing high expectations, supporting positive behaviour and discipline and preparing students for the future. All students are expected to wear the correct school uniform when travelling to and from school, during the school day and on journeys, events and visits arranged by the school unless otherwise specified. Thank you in advance for your continued support in ensuring students are wearing the correct items of clothing, in line with our [Uniform Policy](#) and [Sixth Form Dress Code](#) as they return to school for the Summer Term.

Safeguarding over the Easter break

During the holiday period, the school office hours will be from 9.00am – 3.30pm. Telephones will be manned and messages checked daily. The school office email postmaster@hayes.bromley.sch.uk will be monitored and telephone enquiries can be made during the school day (020 8462 2767). Please be aware that staff emails will not be checked regularly throughout the Easter break, and if you have



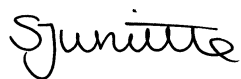
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any safeguarding concerns and/or require information, please visit the dedicated page of our [website](#).

With my very best wishes for the Easter break and thanks for your continued support of your child, the staff and school.

Yours faithfully,



S J Whittle
Principal



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