



# Holy Family Catholic High School

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Dear Parents and Students

I hope you are having a lovely relaxing summer break. As we approach the new school year, I wanted to write to remind you of the arrangements for the beginning of term.

Term begins for Year 7 students on **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2023**. Children should arrive at the school hall by 8.45am on this day in full school uniform and they will finish school at 3.00 pm. Year 7 and Year 11 will be the only year groups in the school to help them settle into their new environment. The H1 - Year 7 school bus will run on this first morning for those who require it. Details of the bus route can be found on our website:

<https://holyfamilyhighschool.co.uk/information/transportation>.

Please note bus passes will not be needed on the first day to get the bus.

On **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September** all Year 7 will be in as usual at 8.45am in full school uniform.

If you still need to purchase ties and badges, the school reception will be open from 9am - 3pm Monday-Friday until the beginning of the academic year. When purchasing uniform items for Year 7 please note our uniform requirements, particularly the details of which shoes we allow. This will ensure there are no issues when your child starts at Holy Family. You can find full details on the website under the *Information/Uniform* section.

All form classes will be invited on a trip to CHET in Little Crosby on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> or Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> September to take part in a day of teamwork and adventure activities. Three form classes will attend on one day and the other three on the second day. Further details will be sent out next week.

Please follow the Scopay link sent over summer on how to pay for this trip if you have not done so yet. You can also add money to dinner cards via this link and pay for the school bus. If you don't have a Scopay account, please contact school. If you have forgotten your login details, go to [www.scopay.com](http://www.scopay.com) and click on I've forgotten my password.

Do not forget that a **Year 7 Parents Information Booklet** is available for download from our website. This contains information to help you and your child be prepared and settled for next week. This can be downloaded from the following website page:

<https://holyfamilyhighschool.co.uk/about-us/y6-new-starters>

I hope you enjoy the rest of the summer break and look forward to seeing you soon.

Yours sincerely

Mr M Symes  
Headteacher