

# Have a Fabulous Summer



23<sup>rd</sup> July 2021

Dear Parent,

Thank you so much for all the lovely messages of thanks and support we have received, they mean so much to everyone. I just wanted to write to you all to wish you a fabulous summer break; to wish our Year 8 pupils much success as they move on to their new schools and to summarise a few things ready for September.

Apologies to those who have struggled to access their child's report through ParentApp. We are investigating and have arranged copies for those we have managed to respond to.

Thank you for the few responses from parents regarding our return to full uniform and bringing in PE kits. We have responded but in addition I must just mention that you would completely understand if you had to teach a class of 30 pupils for lessons following their rigours hour of PE and still wearing the same clothes! 😊

On Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> September, all pupils return to school. The gates open at 8:25am so please don't send them earlier. Gates close at 8:40am when all pupils should be in their registration rooms. For those first 3 days, Year 5 will use the red gates, Years 6, 7 and 8 the silver gate. From Monday 13<sup>th</sup> September we will all be using the red gates.

Please see attached <http://oakfieldacademy.co.uk/termdates> the revised school calendar. We have had to move our originally published INSET day on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October to Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> October as Somerset needed to make Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October a school holiday. This is to account for the additional Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday being placed within June half term.

I will write again before the start of term in September with reminders and any updates that might be needed so please check your emails in September. We will be required to run 'on site' assisted testing again for pupils in Year 7 and Year 8 and so we will include a link for you to give us consent for our new Year 7. We will assume continued consent as given previously for Year 8 so please email us if you would like to be added or removed from the consent list.

What a year and what an amazing community! We have felt privileged to play our part.

Yours sincerely

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