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7 July, 2026



Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Summer School taking place on Tuesday, 25 August and Wednesday, 26 August, 2026

We are delighted your child will be joining us for our Summer School on Tuesday, 25 August and Wednesday, 26 August, 2026.

Summer School is a great opportunity for your child to meet new friends and participate in team building activities. They will also have the opportunity to meet with our Student Leadership Team and members of staff.

Summer School takes place on two days from Tuesday, 25 August to Wednesday, 26 August, 2026 from 9.00 am until 3.00 pm. We ask that you ensure your child arrives promptly at the Main Gate at 9.00 am and is also collected from the Main Gate at 3.00 pm.

If you are unable to collect your child at 3.00 pm on the above days please advise the school ahead of time, together with the name, relation to your child and emergency contact details for the person you have nominated. Additionally, can you please advise the school ahead of time if you wish your child to travel home alone on the above days.

Lunch will be provided each day, along with light refreshments at break time.

There may be some outdoor activities, weather permitting, therefore, we suggest that your child wears suitable outdoor clothing, **no jewellery** and brings along sun cream and a drink in a refillable bottle (**no fizzy drinks**). They may also wish to bring a sun hat.

Start of New Term – First Day Arrangements

Please note that the new term, for Year 7s starts on Wednesday, 2 September, 2026. Please ensure your child arrives to school on this day promptly; we would ask that they arrive to school for 8.15 am in order to provide a smooth start to their day. Staff will be on hand to guide them to their registration point, their Form Group and where they will be expected to line up for their Silent Transitions each day moving forward. **For their first school day only they will finish at 1.20 pm.**

We look forward to seeing your child at Summer School and again on their first day at Southchurch High School on Wednesday, 2 September, 2026.

Yours faithfully

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