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Principal Mr M R Boughey (NPQH, MA, PGCE, BSc)

Dear Parent/ Carer

Re: End of term arrangements

As we are now approaching the end of term, I am writing to let you know of arrangements for the final few days.

Wednesday 19th July will be when our rewards day will take place. Year 7 will be in normal lessons for the morning and then will have a picnic on the field along with rounders, for those who wish to take part, in the afternoon. Students do not have to wear their uniform on that day. Please also ensure that students have sunscreen bring a cap and have a water bottle if the weather is hot as the field is in full sun for most of the day.

Year 8 and 9 students who have met the criteria and have paid via ParentPay, will be going to Alton Towers. The coach will leave school at 9.30am and return to school for approximately 6.15pm depending on the traffic. Students are not required to wear uniform. Students who do not wish to go but have met the criteria, will join Year 7 students on the field during the afternoon. Students who are not permitted to go as they have not met the criteria, will remain in normal lessons, and should wear their normal uniform. This reward is for students displaying good Attitude to Learning (ATL) scores, and this has been clearly communicated to students in assemblies. Full details of the trip are available on the letter that has been sent via ParentPay.

Year 10 students will remain in their usual lessons for periods 1-3. During p4 they will be treated to an ice cream on the field and then they have a choice of activity for the afternoon session. Year 10 students participating in the reward are not required to wear uniform on this day. Students who have not met the criteria, will remain in normal lessons, and should wear their normal uniform. Year 10 students will be going to Alton Towers on 14th September as a reward for those who have made a positive start to Year 11.

Thursday 20th July will be a regular day of lessons with the usual finish time of 3:20 pm. Full uniform must be worn by all students.

Friday 21st July will be a regular day of lessons but with an **earlier finish time of 1.00pm**. Full uniform must be worn by all students on this final day of term. If any student who is usually entitled to a free school meal, still requires a meal on this day, please contact the main office with the student's name, by Friday 14th July.

Tuesday 5th September is the first day for new Year 7 students only, with all other students returning to the Academy on Wednesday 6th September at the usual start time of 8:40 am.

Just a reminder that the start of the day is 8:40am and detentions are set by subject teachers for any student arriving late to school or lesson. If you require any further clarification on any of the dates or events above, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Best Regards

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Mrs A Caulkin Assistant Principal (Behaviour & Standards)

