

3rd July 2023

Dear Parent/ Guardian,

End of year arrangements

With the summer holidays now fast approaching, I am writing to provide some information about the events and activities at the end of the school year, as well as some general reminders.

Readiness to learn

Despite some disruption to learning based on the upcoming activities and events, our teaching staff will continue to utilise every lesson as a learning opportunity right up to the end of term. This means that we expect students to continue to attend with school bags, all equipment, fully charged Chromebooks and with the right attitude to engage and learn.

Upcoming Dates

There is a lot to look forward to in the final three weeks of the year. Further information will be provided to parents/guardians where needed about the specific details linked to activities such as the end of year trip, whereas other information will simply be provided to the students.

Tuesday 4th July

PSHCE Day 5/ Year 10 Preston College Sampling Day

Wednesday 5th and Friday 7th July
 Thursday 13th July
 Strike action (school closed)
 PTFA Event- Race night

Monday 17th July Sports Day

Tuesday 18th July
School Trip to Blackpool
Wednesday 19th July
Back up sports day

Friday 21st July End of term (Students finish at 12.30pm)

Celebrations

We are proud of so many of our students for their hard work and many achievements this year. The year will be brought to a close with a whole school celebration assembly which will include lots of awards, certificates and praise for students and lots of thank you messages to staff members who are leaving us in August. We will also be inviting a very small number of parents into the final assembly so we can celebrate together.

September 2024

Please be aware that all students will return to school on Tuesday 5th September 2023. Following a review on the impact of our September Review Day, we have decided to make some changes to the start of term which means that all students will be in school on the 5th September. We will, however, stagger start times with Years 8, 9 and 10 (currently Year 7, 8 and 9) but more information will be provided in our end of term update.

As always, thank you for your continued support and we look forward to a positive and enjoyable end to this academic year.

Yours sincerely,

Mr J Lewis

Headteacher

