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Dear Parents and Carers,

Arrangements for the Start of the New Year 2025/2026

We would like to thank parents and carers for your continued support over this academic year.

I am writing to inform you about the arrangements for the beginning of the new academic year in September.

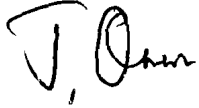
Monday 1 September & Tuesday 2 September	School is open to 6th Form only 6th Form Induction Days (<i>Further communication will follow</i>)
Wednesday 3 September	School is open to Year 7 only School day starts promptly at 8.30am. We recommend that students arrive at school at 8.25am via Laburnum Grove on this day only. School will finish at 2.00pm on this day only. <i>Students will be dismissed via the Firs Lane and Highfield Road gates.</i>
Thursday 4 September	Year 7 - Normal school day - 8.30am-3.00pm <i>Students to enter via Firs Lane or Highfield Road gate.</i> Years 8-11 in School for Tutor Time and Welcome Assembly <i>Students to enter and leave school via Laburnum Grove on this day only.</i> <i>Students to wear full school uniform and go straight to their tutor room.</i> Year 8 - 8.30am - 9.30am Year 9 - 9.30am - 10.30am Year 10 - 11.15am - 12.15pm Year 11 - 12.15pm - 1.15pm
Friday 5 September	Normal School Day - 8.30am-3.00pm for all Years Year 12 - start period 3 (11.15am)

In the interest of everyone's health and safety please do not drop your child off in Laburnum Grove.

We kindly request that you take note of these dates so you can plan ahead. Please be mindful of the importance of regular school attendance, we ask that you minimise any absences during term time to ensure uninterrupted learning for your child.

As always, thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,



Mr Owen
Headteacher