

September 2023

Dear Families,

I hope that you have had a wonderful summer break and that your children are eager to start their secondary education with us soon. We are incredibly excited to get started and get to know our very first cohort.

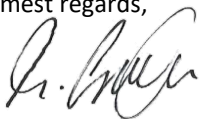
Please note that students will be returning on **Wednesday, 6 September 2023**, marking the beginning of their induction process. It is an important day for our new students, and we kindly request that they **arrive promptly at 8am** via the **Student Entrance on Greenbrow Road**, in their full school uniform and with their equipment ready. This location is clearly sign posted.

Upon arrival, they will be directed by staff to their designated Morning Meeting location for their very first lesson. We kindly ask that families do not enter past the student gate, this is for safeguarding reasons.

We would also like to remind families that you are invited to a special drop-in event on **Friday, 8 September 2023, from 2:30pm**. This gathering provides a fantastic opportunity for you to join us, have a cup of tea, and explore our new temporary school building.

Please also see attached a letter relating to drop-offs and pick-ups, as well as an update to our allergen policy. Please also see a correction to the academy term dates below. Apologies for any confusion caused by our end of term letter.

Warmest regards,



Stephen Garvey
Principal

Term Dates 2023 / 24

	Term Dates	Holiday Dates
Term 1 2023	Wednesday 6 September 2023 to Friday 20 October 2023	Monday 23 October 2023 to Friday 3 November 2023
Term 2 2023	Monday 6 November 2023 to Friday 15 December 2023	Monday 18 December 2023 to Monday 1 January 2023
Term 3 2024	Tuesday 2 January 2024 to Friday 16 February 2024	Monday 19 February 2024 to Friday 23 February 2024
Term 4 2024	Monday 26 February 2024 to Thursday 28 March 2024	Friday 29 March 2024 to Friday 12 April 2024
Term 5 2024	Monday 15 April 2024 to Friday 24 May 2024	Monday 27 May 2024 to Friday 31 May 2024
Term 6 2024	Monday 3 June 2024 to Wednesday 24 July 2024	Thursday 25 July 2024

The academy will be closed to students on the following dates:

Staff data and planning days

Friday 17 November 2023
 Friday 8 March 2024
 Friday 28 June 2024

Other dates when the academy is closed:

Friday 29 March 2024: Bank Holiday (Good Friday)
 Monday 6 May 2024: Bank Holiday

