

11 July 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

## Hot weather

We are experiencing unusually hot weather today and this is forecast to continue for the rest of this week. For this reason, we have made some temporary optional adjustments to our Dress Code for this week only:

- Pupils do not need to wear blazers; they may be left at home or placed in bags. (Pupils cannot wear hoodies, coats, or school jumpers instead of blazers.)
- Pupils do not need to wear ties; they may be left at home or placed in bags. Top buttons may be undone.
- Pupils must ensure they have their RRS card at all times; please remind your child about this as many keep these in their blazer.
- Shirts must still be tucked in and shoes worn.
- Pupils should be encouraged to drink water; pupils may fill bottles at break and lunch. Under no circumstances will pupils be allowed to leave lessons to get water.

Please remind your child that despite the hot weather, water fights are not allowed. Drinking the water is the best way to stay cool and healthy in hot water.

These temporary adjustments will be reviewed for next week but pupils should assume we are returning to normal uniform rules from Monday 18 July.

## **End of term arrangements**

Our term dates for 2022/23, including staff training days, are now on our website.

We break up for this term on Thursday 21 July at 12.05 pm. You should have by now received a letter regarding non-uniform day.

## **Start of term arrangements**

Monday 5 and Tuesday 6 September – INSET days – School closed to pupils Wednesday 7 September – Year 7 return to school 8.40 am Thursday 8 September – Years 8-11 return to school 8.40 am

I wish you and your family a safe and happy summer holiday.

Yours faithfully

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