

31st March 2026

Dear parents, carers and families,

Thank you for all your support for our students this half term. We are so proud of our students, who have now collectively earned over 210,000 merits since September!

We have been pleased and excited to see students demonstrating our school values of courage, kindness and resilience in what has been a very busy and productive term.

Please see below some updates and key dates for your diary:

Student voice

We have been working with our school prefects and student council closely this term and are trialling new initiatives with their advice and feedback. These include installing lines on the floor in some of our busiest corridors in order to help everyone travel around the school as safely and effectively as possible. It has been great to get students working to suggest ideas and feedback as they are tweaked and improved.

Easter Extravaganza – non uniform day

We are running competitions and rewards each day of this last week of term to encourage attendance and zero sanctions! As part of our end of term celebration, students will have a non-uniform day on the last day of term, Thursday 2nd April.

Reporting bullying

A reminder that we do not tolerate bullying of any kind in school. Students are regularly encouraged to report any concerns – we ask them to 'see something, say something.' We always want to encourage parents, carers and families to support safety and welfare, so please don't hesitate to contact your child's Year Team – contact details are available on the school website. We also have a bullying reporting form on our website which anyone can fill in.

Key dates

- **Last day of term:** Thursday 2nd April (non-uniform, normal 15.15 finish)

- **All students return to school after Easter break:** Monday 20th April
- **Year 12 Pre-public examinations begin:** Monday 20th April
- **Yr 7 Progress Evening:** Thursday 23rd April

With very best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dan Wendon', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Dan Wendon
Headteacher