

Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you and your family had a good weekend and are all keeping safe and well too.

### **Reopening of School - Monday 29th June to Friday 17th July**

The Covid 19 pandemic has been a learning curve for us all. Not only have we had to adapt to new ways of living and working, but we have also had to learn how to deal with last minute changes. This was once again the case on Friday when it was confirmed that the plan to change the term dates and extend the term for another week had been dropped. Therefore, we need to adjust our plans for reopening again. We will still reopen on **Monday 29th June**, but we will now end the term on **Friday 17th July**. Our students will have the opportunity to attend school for three weeks before the summer holidays.

All the other arrangements for your child remain the same and are outlined in the [Student Information Slides - Returning to School](#).

### **Home Learning**

This week, the students have been set a [project](#) to enhance their skills across the curriculum. Their work on this project will benefit their progress across all subjects. There are also a large number of students who still need to complete the work for all their subjects.

Year 12 students have been tasked with completing their Welsh Bacallaureate work along with finishing all outstanding work too.

The students will begin another block of subject specific work next Monday which will complement the face-to-face sessions in school.

### **Staffing News**

Congratulations to Mr Edwards who has been appointed as Progress Leader for next year's Year 8. He is currently Assistant Progress Leader for this year group. He succeeds Mrs Wynne who has relinquished the role to work part-time at the school from September. Mrs Wynne has been an excellent Progress Leader and Head of House over the past decade and will ensure a smooth transition to Mr Edwards as he takes over their year group.

**And finally ....**

If you haven't already done so, please can you complete the parent [survey](#) by **0900, Tuesday 23rd June** so we have a clear idea of the numbers we are expecting.

We do encourage your child to attend the face-to-face sessions. It is important for them to familiarise themselves with the new way the school will be operating in September. We are looking forward to seeing them.

Have a good week.

Yours faithfully



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