



CHASE HIGH SCHOOL

Aspiration, Character & Excellence

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Dear Parents and Carers

Re: End of term

It has been another excellent year for the Chase High School community in every sense of the word. There has been so much to celebrate, such as our receiving the Gold Arts Mark award, Mrs Hall receiving the Silver award for Digital Innovator of the Year, being shortlisted in the Pearson School of the year award along with individual and team success in sport, performing arts and academic achievement.

I do hope you have had a chance to look at some of the great posts on our Instagram, Twitter and Facebook pages at the mix of lessons, clubs and trips pupils have enjoyed this year, these have all led to a very memorable journey for our community. Our weekly News and Views also highlights life here at Chase High and I encourage you to look for this in your email inbox each week.

Some of this year's events include:

LORIC character education challenges
Careers networking events
Grosvenor Hall maths residential
Army team building day

Ninja Warrior challenge
3 performing arts shows
Coding and robotics event
Many, many sporting events

Some of the many trips our pupils have enjoyed include Staffordshire and Cambridge universities, Liverpool and the Cadbury Museum, Colchester Castle, the Somme and Kew Gardens.

School will end on Thursday 20 July 2023 at 1.20pm for pupils. Pupils that are eligible for free school meals will be able to collect them at break time.

Start of autumn term 2023

Year 7 and year 12 pupils only, return to school on Monday 4 September 2023 at 8.25am.

All year groups return on Tuesday 5 September 2023 at 8.25am.

A two-week timetable is in operation beginning Monday 4 September on Week 1.

Full term dates are available on the school website.



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Disposal of lost property

If your child has lost anything during this term, please ask him or her to check with their year administrator. Anything not claimed by the end of school on Thursday 20 July 2023 will be disposed of before the start of next term.

Medical

If your child has any medication kept in the medical room, please ensure you collect it before the end of term, as it will be disposed of in the appropriate manner. All epi-pens must have a one-year shelf life when being left at school, which may need to be updated in September.

Uniform Expectations

We really value your support in making sure the children wear the correct uniform to school each day and look forward to a smooth start in September.

Please continue to support the high standards at the school by ensuring that when purchasing uniform this summer that is in line with the school's expectations. Girls' trousers must not be skin-tight. You are reminded that straight skirts are not permitted and only pleated; knee length skirts will be acceptable. Shoes should not be boots or have a significant heel on them. They must be of a material that can be polished. Pupils that arrive after the summer, if their uniform does not meet our expectations, will receive a sanction.

Some children enjoy an extreme hair cut in the long break and it is important that they are returned to normal cuts ready for the start of the September term. Hair colouring must be natural and of a single colour. The only jewellery that may be worn at school is a watch and a single pair of stud earrings, one in each of the lower ear lobes. Jewellery that does not fall into this regulation will be confiscated by year leaders and returned at the end of the school day. Full details of our uniform policy are available on the school website.

I thank you for your continued support throughout the year and wish you a very happy summer break.

Yours sincerely



Mr J Foster
Headteacher



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