



Dear Parent/Guardian

I have great pleasure in sharing our reopening plan and guidance with parents for the new academic year. The staff will be in school on Monday 7 and Tuesday 8 September for staff CPD in preparation for our students return to full time education.

School will operate a phased return for the following students:

- **Years 7, 8, 12 and 13 only on Wednesday 9 September.**
- **Year 9, 10 and 11 will return on Thursday 10 September.**

Due to the fact that Year 7 have unfortunately not had any formal transition from primary, we consider it is to be really important that they have an opportunity to settle into school life before everyone returns. It is also vital that we have a staggered approach to our whole school return for all students, in order to ensure our new safety procedures are adhered to effectively. Students will be based in their tutor bases to ensure they understand the new school procedures and practices that they will be following from September.

If any Year 9, 10 or 11 parent requires a place in school for Wednesday 9 September due to child care arrangements, can you please email the school. We will be operating separate year group bubbles for these students on the Wednesday 9 September.

Yours sincerely

Mr I Noble
Head Teacher

