



17<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

As we draw towards the end of the academic year, we feel it important to remind you about the new academic year, as well as safeguarding and support available over the summer.

### **Return dates**

Pupils will return to the Academy on the following dates:

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> Sept 2023 – Year 7 and Year 12

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> Sept 2023 – Years 8, 9, 10, 11 and 13

### **Uniform**

As we informed you in April, there are some small changes to the school uniform and we attached a reminder of those changes; two main changes are the move to black, straight leg trousers, which reach the top of the shoe – these should not be tapered or tight fitting. If a jumper is worn, then it needs to be a grey V neck pullover (sweatshirts, hoodies and other such items will not be permitted). Please note that we expect all pupils to be wearing shoes and trainers are not permitted. We do recognise that buying uniform can be expensive and if you are experiencing financial difficulties, then please do contact the Academy.

School ties – all students must wear a school tie. We do have a small supply of spare ties but there are increasing numbers of students coming without a tie, often through choice. The tie is not optional and therefore, from September, we will only loan out a tie on one occasion and after that we would expect the original tie to be found or replaced. We will follow the behaviour policy in these cases.

We have high expectations of our pupils, including uniform. It sets the tone for all other areas of Academy life.

### **Foodbank**

Our school foodbank will be closed during the summer holidays. If you are in need of food urgently, then the Community Larder is open and this is located on Beaumont Fee, Lincoln. If you need to go to the Community Larder, then there is a small cost to become a member but after that you are able to go and get a bag of shopping each day, at no or very small cost.

### **Safeguarding**

As the school will be closed over the summer, staff will not be monitoring their emails and will not pick up any messages around safeguarding. If you do have any safeguarding concerns then they should be reported to Children's Services on 01522782111 or the LADO (Local Authority Designated

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Officer) on 01522 554674.

The following websites and numbers are also able to offer support over the summer:

Police 101/999

Healthy Minds 0800 2344342 (mental health support)

Kooth.com

Young.minds.org.uk

The Crisis Resolution and Home Treatment team – 0303 123 4000

We hope this this information is useful and we wish you all a safe and restful summer holiday.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. Hewerdine'.

Mrs C F Hewerdine  
(Headteacher)