

JCB/TCC

21 July 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

Now that the end of term is upon us and the school is about to break up for the summer holidays, I would like to let you know the arrangements for the start of term in September.

Monday 4 September - Staff Training Day - school closed to ALL students

**Tuesday 5 September** - School is open for **Year 7** and **Year 12** students **ONLY**. School is closed to all other students. Year 7 should arrive for 8.40am via the student entrance on North Street. Year 12 students should go to the Jo Cox Centre on Church Street for 8.40am. Further enrolment details will be given to the Year 12 students closer to the time.

Wednesday 6 September - All students should arrive to school for 8.40am.

I would also like to inform you of some price increases for the school's catering service. Due to food inflation and higher staffing costs, we have no alternative but to increase our tariffs at all our food outlets. This will result in the cost of a meal deal increasing to £2.85. Other prices will also be increasing, and you will shortly be able to find our full list of tariffs for 2023-24 on the catering pages of our website.

It only remains for me to wish you all the very best for the summer and we look forward to welcoming all our students back in September for what will no doubt be a very rewarding and busy year.

On a personal note, as my time at Heckmondwike Grammar School comes to an end, I would like to extend my thanks to you and your children for your support. Working here and serving the HGS community has been an absolute pleasure and real privilege.

I cannot thank you and the students enough. This is an amazing school with fantastic students who are a real credit to their parents.

Let me end by wishing all of you the very best for summer and for September.

Kind Regards

Mr Barnett - Assistant Headteacher