



## Autumn Term (3)

9<sup>th</sup> October 2020

Dear Parents & Carers,

We have reviewed the arrangements we put in place in September and are now able to make a few small adjustments to enhance students' time in school. From **Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October**, there are small adjustments to the start and end time for certain year groups:

	Arrive		Depart	
Year 7	8.30	No change	3pm	No change
Year 8	8.40	5 minutes earlier	2.40pm	10 minutes later
Year 9	8.50	10 minutes earlier	2.50pm	5 minutes later
Year 10	8.40	5 minutes earlier	2.50pm	5 minutes later
Year 11	8.30	No change	3pm	No change
Year 12/13	8.30	No change	3pm	No change

These changes, although small, amount to additional teaching time over the course of a week whilst maintaining our staggered arrival and departure times. These control measures ensure year groups remain separate and help to reduce congestion and mixing on the journey to and from school.

A number of other changes will be communicated to your child during tutor time on Monday. These include:

- Small adjustments to the duration of lessons to ensure they are evenly distributed
- The launch of a programme of enrichment activities and after-school clubs

We will continue to work to refine our arrangements, ensuring students benefit from a safe environment, minimising risk whilst maximising your child's learning. As always, thank you for your collective support and positivity.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Laming  
Headteacher