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Dear Parents and Carers

I am writing to inform you of two important updates at Oxted School:

1. Return to Normal School Uniform: Monday 7 July

Now that we have seen the peak of the warm weather, all students will be expected to return to wearing their summer school uniform as per our usual policy from next Monday.

We appreciate your support over the past weeks during our period of relaxed uniform expectations, and we thank you in advance for ensuring your child is prepared and appropriately dressed for the start of next week.

A reminder that the summer uniform allows students to not wear their jumper and/or blazer, but they must be wearing a white shirt and tie as well as their lanyard. All other uniform remains the same. If you have any concerns regarding uniform or require support, please do not hesitate to contact your child's Head of Year.

2. Trial of New School Day Timings: Wednesday 9 July – Tuesday 22 July

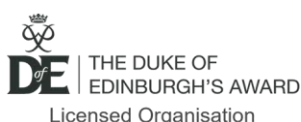
As mentioned in previous correspondence, we will begin trialling our new school day timings from Wednesday next week. These changes are being introduced as part of our ongoing review to improve the structure of the school day and support learning, wellbeing, and efficiency.

Students will start at 8.40am as per usual, but lessons will finish at 3.10pm instead of 3.15pm. Tutor time will move to the morning, and we will have a longer lunch and break. This trial will allow us to monitor the impact of these changes closely and to iron out any issues that may occur in preparation for our entire school returning in September.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mr M M J Devenney
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