

Dear Parent/Carer,

As the summer term draws to a close, I would like to thank you for all of the support and guidance you have provided throughout this academic year. Children's success is built on the combined support of parents, carers, teachers and tutors and I have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know this year group and working alongside many of you. I'm pleased to say that Mrs Sally Bevin will be taking over as Head of Year 8 in September, so I'm confident that positive relationships already forged will continue to strengthen and flourish in the future.

At this time of year I often look back and remember how the children entered the College last September and marvel at just how much they have achieved in such a short space of time. We have had the benefit of a full extra curricular offer and participated in many trips and experiences. We have enjoyed success in sport with a PGL Netball Tour as well as at a regional level with our Athletics Team. The whole year group visited Mount Edgecombe for the Big Day Out, decorated an enormous Christmas Tree and competed in a Spelling Bee Challenge. There have been trips to the Houses of Parliament, Sports Days and opportunities to represent the Year Team through the College Council.

The first day back to school, for Year 8, will be on Wednesday 6th September. Please ensure that the children return to school in full uniform, with a reading book, appropriate bag and water bottle. Please continue to support the completion of homework next year. Homework support will resume in September 2023 Monday to Thursday (3.15 - 4pm).

Finally, I want to wish you a happy and healthy summer break and look forward to welcoming the children back in September.

Yours faithfully,

Mac Manus.

Ms MacManus Head of Year 7

