



2 September 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

RE: IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THE START OF TERM SEPTEMBER 2022

As the summer holidays draw to an end, we are looking forward to welcoming all students back into the Academy on Monday 5 September 2022 at 8.20am. The school day will finish at 2.30pm.

Enrichment activities will commence on Monday 12 September 2022.

Below is all of the important information required to ensure a smooth start to our academic year.

Attendance and Punctuality

School attendance and punctuality is a key priority for all of our community, thus ensuring that every student is successful in their education. All students start the new academic year with 100% attendance and being on time each day is extremely vital. There is a huge link between those students who have good attendance and those students who leave school with excellent results. Students are expected to be on the school site before 8.20am, to ensure that they are on time and do not receive a late mark.

A free breakfast is available to all students each day from 8.00am in the dining hall.

School Meals - Year 7 students

Outwood Academy Riverside is a cashless school and school meals are paid for using a biometric system. Letters with login details have been posted home today with login details for this system. Whilst this is being processed we will be providing all Year 7 students with a free meal on Monday 5 September 2022 and Tuesday 6 September 2022.

Uniform expectations

Students must arrive at school in full school uniform each day, including plain black school shoes. Students will not be required to bring their P.E. kit on the first day.

Parental Communications

We often send updates via text message or emails. In order to ensure that you do not miss any communications, please ensure that the school has been provided with your up to date contact information (phone number and email address).

We hope the above information is helpful and we would like to remind parents / carers that we have a wealth of information on our school website and social media pages.

We hope that you have all had a relaxing, safe and enjoyable summer break and we look forward to welcoming all students back for another exciting and successful year.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'M Brant-Smith', written in a cursive style.

Mrs M Brant-Smith
Principal