Dear parents, carers and students,

I hope that this is the very last time you will be hearing from me until all students have returned to school! I just wanted to write to you with a few reminders and a couple of updates to our equipment list.

Equipment List:

In light of some concerns raised about the safety of students carrying scissors to school we have now removed this item from our equipment list. Where scissors are required during lessons students will be asked to wipe the scissors after their use or alternatively be asked to cut and glue items into their books when at home.

To reduce the number of shared items of equipment, we are providing each student with a mini whiteboard so that they can use their own whiteboard in lessons. To support this, please could students have a blue or black whiteboard pen as part of their equipment.

The updated equipment list is as follows:

Students will need the following items:

- 2 blue/black pens

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- A ruler

- 1 pencil

- An eraser

A yellow highlighter pen

- A red pen

- A packet of pencils

- A glue stick

A blue or black whiteboard pen

A scientific calculator

I'm really sorry about these last minute changes, but hope that you appreciate that the safety of students must come first.

School Lunch:

Don't forget our first on-line menu and ordering form goes live on Friday, you should receive a separate email about this and be able to access the form from our website. Students can of course continue to bring in their own packed lunch and refreshments from home for break (no fizzy drinks are allowed).

And finally don't forget – all students must return to school in their full school uniform on the following days and times:

Monday 7	Tuesday 8	Wednesday 9	Thursday 10 th	Friday 11 th
Year 12 Induction Day	Year 7 start school	Years 7 and 11 in school	Years 7,8 and 11 in school	Years 7,8,9 and 11 in school
	Year 11 return to school	Year 8 return to school	Year 9 return to school	Year 10 return to school

	Lessons begin	Lessons for Years
	for Years 12 and	12 and 13
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	Y7	Y8	Y9	Y10	Y11	Y12/13
START	8.25 a.m.	9.00 a.m.	8.50 a.m.	8.40 a.m.	8.35 a.m.	As per their timetable
FINISH	2.45 p.m.	2.40 p.m.	2.35 p.m.	2.30 p.m.	2.50 OR 3.30 p.m. if attending Period 7	umetable

I hope that the sun continues to shine and that students enjoy the end of the summer holidays – we can't wait to welcome them back!

Yours sincerely,

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