

Dear Parents and Carers,

I thought it would be useful to send you a few brief reminders to ensure a smooth return and start to school this week. Whilst we understand that students have enjoyed their holidays, they will be expected to be fully compliant this week with no exceptions.

We rely on parents and carers to ensure that students are ready for learning through the wearing of correct uniform and bringing the correct equipment. (for example, trainers or PE kit)

Any student arriving wearing inappropriate uniform is likely to be sent home to change according to our legal rights.

Please take note of the following:

Arrival to school:

- All students from years 7 to 11 return on Wednesday 4th September by 8.35am at the latest
- Early arrivals may enter the dining room from 8am
- Entrance for all students is via the footpath at the side of school. (
- Car drivers: do not park or pull up on the yellow lines at the front of school under any circumstances and if possible please drop off and pick up on Thingwall Lane to avoid congestion with the taxis

Uniform:

- Jewellery in piercings (including plastic retainers) is strictly prohibited
- KS3 light blue polo T shirt with CH emblem, Black sweat shirt with CH emblem, black school pants, black or dark coloured trainers.
- KS4 Black polo shirt with CH emblem Black sweat shirt with CH emblem, black school pants, black or dark coloured trainers.
- Students on Pathway 2 require full school uniform for the days in school.
- Students on Pathway 3 will be expected to wear their protective clothing when required.

Mobile Phones:

- **A reminder that mobile phones are not permitted in school** (students seen with a phone will have it confiscated and, in the case of repeat offenders, parents / carers will be contacted to collect the phone.
- Please support your son in making proper arrangements for before and after school to avoid any confusion and to make it easier for him to leave his phone at home.
- Students will be checked for phones and electrical equipment on arrival and are to leave their phone with the school during the school day, this will be locked away in a safe and returned to the student at the end of the school day.

Kind regards
Jane Pepa
Headteacher