

Date: 16th December 2021

RE: End of Autumn Term letter/Start of Spring Term

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had a fantastic first term here at Stoke Park. Students have experienced a Poets' visit, a visit from a graphic designer, trips to Wembley, Winter Wonderland and the Belgrade to mention a few. Our biggest achievement this year is how we all came together as a community to enjoy a luncheon and share our memories of the term and give thanks to those who support us albeit staff or friends. The students conduct was impeccable.

School will close Friday 17th December at 12:45pm.

Lateral Flow Testing for the return to school

You may have heard from government announcements that schools have been asked to do lateral flow tests for all students before they return to school. We have sent out the consent links this week and this is also available below. Students will have an allocated slot time of when to come into school to test on Tuesday 4th January – again the times are below. Post 16 will arrive first and will attend their normal lessons if they are negative from break time. All other students will return to school on Wednesday 5th for normal lessons once they have had a negative test result on the Tuesday.

Please click the link below to provide consent.

<https://forms.office.com/r/6kBSmQnbKK>

The structure of the day is outlined below.

Post 16	08:40
Year 11	09:30
Year 10	10:20
Year 9	11:10
Year 8	12:40
Year 7	13:40

All students are to enter through the Walsgrave Road gate.

Post 16 students will remain on school site and lessons will commence period 3.

Year 10/13 Mock Exams

Mock exams will take place for year 10 and 13 next half term. Year 10 exams will commence week beginning 31st January. Year 13 exams will commence week beginning 14th February. Please encourage your child to revise for these exams over the holiday period. Work is available on TEAMS.

Laptops

If your child requires access to a laptop to complete their school work, please contact your child's head of year or pastoral manager. Please encourage your child to use a laptop rather than their phone as it is not always easy to see the resources in detail via a phone.

Uniform

Reminder that all years from Year 7 – 10 must be in the new school uniform on their return to school in January.

Free school meals- Christmas Holidays

We are pleased to confirm that we will be able to provide £33 of supermarket vouchers to cover the Christmas period to all those students eligible for Free School Meals. If you are unsure if your son/daughter is eligible for free school meals over the Christmas break please check the below link.

https://www.coventry.gov.uk/info/54/benefits/168/free_school_meals

Vouchers were released via evouchers, if you have not received them please contact Mrs Smith – amsmith@stokepark.coventry.sch.uk

We wish you and your family a lovely holiday and look forward to continuing to work with you and your child in the new year. Let's hope 2022 is a much brighter year for us all.

Yours sincerely



Miss N Rock
Head of School