

Dear Parent and Carers,

5<sup>th</sup> September 2025

The first week back has been fabulous with all students coming back brilliantly to our brand new school. They have responded excellently in the way that they have adapted to the layout of the building and can see the wonderful new area that they are being educated in.

We would like to thank the parents and carers for their efforts in reducing traffic on site wherever possible as we are working in conjunction with Holywell to ensure that the entrance and exit for students is safe. We would like to remind all parents and carers to avoid driving onto site wherever possible and ensure that they do not park on any area that is clearly marked for no parking including double yellow/red lines, zebra crossings and cross-hatching. This is to ensure that we can keep all of our young people including Holywell students safe for you.

As a school we will continue to use Class Charts as our rewards and behaviour platform. You will be able to use Class Charts to keep track of your son's/daughter's achievements, access behaviour reports, and scheduled detentions. If you have more than one child at the school, you can use the same account to view data for all your children. Class Charts for parents/carers can be accessed via the website, or iOS and Android apps. Further guidance can be found on our school website: Class Charts-Guide.

A reminder that if your child is rerouted from a lesson at any point, they will receive a 30-minute after-school detention on the same day, you will be notified of this via Class Charts, and this will be held in the Bistro. Should your child fail to attend this detention, they will be transferred to a Senior Leadership Detention, which will now take place on a Thursday instead of a Friday. It is important to note that failure to attend the SLT detention will result in your child being placed in refocus on Friday.

A huge thank you to the parents and carers who have ensured the students return looking smart in their uniform and well-equipped for the year ahead. As we continue to drive uniform standards, please note that if your child is required to borrow a school uniform, they will now be expected to hand in their phone to the hub, which will be securely locked away. This will be returned to your child at the end of the school day when they return the uniform back to our hub.

Please see the attached letters for updates on the RSHE curriculum and Pioneer Day.

School photos will take place on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September throughout the day.

We have instructed school uniform stockists to phase out their green PE polo shirts and then only sell blue moving forward. We are accepting any Waseley Hills PE polo shirt with either red, yellow, green or blue on the sides until red, green and yellow are naturally phased out. This is to ensure that families are not financially affected, and we eventually have consistent blue PE uniforms.

We thank you for your continued support and hope that many of you will get access to the wonderful community facilities that are being hired out from next week for use after school hours.

Kind regards,

Mr T Preston

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T. Preston', written in a cursive style.

Principal