

14 October 2024

Dear Families,

I hope this letter finds you and your families well. I have a couple of updates and some news items to go through with you all for clarity and communication.

#### **Important Dates for your diary**

- **Friday 18 October - Last day of term 2:15 finish**
- **Half term - Monday 21 October to Friday 1 November**
- **Monday 4 November - Return to school 8am arrival**
- **Monday 4 November - GCSE English/Maths resit exams begin**
- **Tuesday 12 November - Y11 PPE Exams begin**

#### **Equipment and Uniform Shop**

The equipment and uniform shop is open from 8am to 8:15. All items are available for purchase or loan. Please contact us if you need support with anything.

#### **Free Breakfast 8am in the Bistro**

Bagels, cereal and toast are available for free at 8am every morning.

#### **MCAS App Reminder**

Please ensure that we have an up-to-date copy of your email address and that you have downloaded the app My Child At School. All correspondence is now done via the app

#### **Change of addresses and telephone numbers**

Please ensure we have the latest up to date contact information for you on our system in case of emergencies

#### **Community Hub**

We are hoping to open our hub at some point after half term where we will have a food bank, clothes bank and drop in sessions around health and legal advice for asylum, work and

#### **Ofsted Inspection News**

A big thank you to all you for your ongoing support and our staff and students for their hard work which shone through in our recent inspection. I am unable to share details at this moment in time until the report is released but will do so as soon as possible.

Thank you for working with us as we strive to make daily improvements on our offer to our families.

Yours faithfully,



Mrs R Fidler

Principal

Dixons Academies Trust

