

LADY HAWKINS' SCHOOL & SIXTH FORM

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Dear Parent / Carer,

Term Dates Changes for 2018/19

While September feels like a long way off, we are currently in the midst of planning the next academic year. With staffing and structural changes on the horizon for next year, we have decided to hold two of our annual staff training days at the start of the new school year. The result of this is that, with the exception of the new Year 7 pupils, the student's first day back will be Wednesday 5th September 2018. The new Year 7 pupils will have an induction day on Tuesday 4th September.

The Spring and Summer Terms 2019 have also had slight date changes. The Spring Term will now start on Thursday 10th January 2019 and the Summer Term will now end on Friday 19th July 2019.

Sports Day / Race for Life - Friday 6th July

Following on from the success of previous years' events, as part of our Sports Day this year we are again holding a schools 'Race for Life' event. It is an official part of the Race for Life fundraising for Cancer Research and as such all students will have sponsorship forms and asked to raise as much as they can. There will be prizes awarded to those who raise the most in the school and their year group and all students who raise over £10 will be entered into a prize raffle. All those taking part in the event will earn a Race for Life medal.

Students are allowed to come to school dressed in their PE kit or the Race for Life colours of pink and blue and change into school PE kit after break time as the event will be during lesson 1 (9-10am). The course will be around the outside of the school field and will be approximately 3km. There will be the opportunity to run, jog or walk the course.

Uniform Changes from September 2018

Following consultation with parents, students and other stakeholders, we would like to confirm the changes to the school uniform from September 2018:

- School blazer (compulsory for Yrs 7-9, optional for Yrs 10 & 11)
- Black V-Neck jumper with school logo (compulsory for those not wearing a blazer)
- Plain white shirt (with a button that allows the collar to close and it must be long enough to be tucked in)
- School Clip on Tie (no other tie will be accepted)
- Black tailored trousers (not skinny fit trousers or jeans) or black skirt with school logo.
- Black school shoes.

Thank you for your support as we continue our improvement journey at Lady Hawkins' School.

Yours sincerely,

Mr P Jennings
Headteacher