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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: End of term letter

As we approach the end of another busy term, I am writing with an update on important activities and updates taking place at the Academy.

Early closure – Thursday 28th March 2024

On Thursday 28th March 2024, Weston Favell Academy will close at 1pm to all year groups in order for the Year 7 Parents' Evening to start from 2pm and run to 6.30pm. This is to allow sufficient time for Year 7 parents to meet with their child's teachers for a progress update. The booking system for parents' evening will open shortly and details will be sent separately.

Pupils who wish to stay for lunch are welcome to do so. Should you be unable to collect your child from school early, we will be more than happy to supervise them on site until 3pm.

If you wish your child to stay for lunch on the 28th and/or wish them to be supervised until 3pm, please <u>click here</u> to provide the details.

Communication to the Academy

We always strive to improve the service provided when dealing with enquiries into the Academy. When phone lines are busy, there is the option to email <u>admin@westonfavellacademy.org</u> as this is constantly monitored and enquiries will be sent onto the relevant members of staff. To help us get you to the right person quickly, please include your child's name and year group in the subject heading of the email with the reason for your query. When using the above email, you will receive an acknowledgement that your query has been sent onto the relevant person/team. Please allow 24-48 hours (depending on the urgency of your query) for a response.

Rewards

We launched our rewards shop this term allowing pupils to spend their rewards on our online ClassChart's shop... these include 'jump the queue' passes, games room access, stationery items and lots more! In the last 4 weeks, over 2000 orders have been placed using 50,000 ClassChart points. Interest in the shop has gone from strength to strength and we now have a team of pupils who manage and distribute the rewards.

Y11 Updates

Next term, written GCSE exams will start on 9th May and run to 20th June 2024. Individual timetables will be issued to pupils shortly along with a diary of forthcoming revision sessions.

GCSE practical exams will also be taking place as follow and contribute to a large proportion of the pupils' overall grade.

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GCSE Practical Exam Dates	
Subject	Date / Time
Art	24 th /25 th /26 th April
DT	Group 1- 26 th /27 th /28 th March
	Group 2- 15 th /16 th /19 th April
	Group 3- 17 th /18 th /19 th April
	Group 4- 22 nd / 23 rd / 26 th April
	Group 5- 24 th /25 th /26 th April
Drama	Lesson Times
Music	25 th March

Uniform expectations

Thank you for your support in ensuring that our high standards for uniform were met this term. A reminder that blazers and jumpers are compulsory until we move to summer uniform after the May half term from week commencing 3rd June 2024.

Please remember that if you need any support with uniform purchasing, you can apply to the school for support by emailing <u>dhendle@westonfavellacademy.org</u>. We also hold a large number of items in school so should your child arrive incorrectly dressed, or have forgotten any part of their uniform, we will lend them the correct uniform.

Next term

The Academy closes for Easter on Thursday 28th March 2024 and will reopen on Monday 15th April 2024.

It only remains for me to take this opportunity to wish you and your family a relaxing break and we look forward to welcoming your child back on 15th April 2024.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

TP/A.

Todd Johnson Senior Executive Principal



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