

Dear Parents, Carers, and Students

I hope that you have all had a fantastic summer and are looking forward to the return (or for some of you the beginning) to Scott College.

It would be remiss of me not to recognise that the summer has been a difficult one for the Plymouth community with the atrocious events that took place in August. I know that it has been a deeply upsetting time for everyone in the city and want to reiterate the support we will provide for anyone who needs it through our safeguarding and pastoral team on return.

I also wanted to share with you once more the arrangements for the first few days back. I sent these details before the summer but wanted to share them again to ensure everyone is clear about the start of term.

Thursday 2nd - Staff inset day (LFT year 9 from 13:00-14:00, LFT year 12 from 14:00-15:00)

Friday 3rd - Staff inset day (LFT year 11 from 10:30-11:30, LFT Year 10 from 11:30-12:30, LFT Year 13 from 13:00-14:00)

Monday 6th - Induction day - Year 9 from 08:35 and Year 12 from 10:00 (to include second lateral flow test)

Tuesday 7th – Year 9 / 12 in school Y 11 from 10.30 Year 10 from 13.00 and Year 13 from 14.00

Wednesday – All students in school

On the 2nd/3rd students only attend for their lateral flow test but from Monday 6th students will remain in school after their lateral flow test according to the times and days above.

I also wanted to remind you of the normal timings of the school day which can be seen below:

8:45 am	Student Briefing
8:50 am	Tutor Time Reading
9:05 am	Period 1
10:00 am	Period 2
10:55 am	Break
11:25 am	Period 3
12:20 pm	Period 4
13:15 pm	Lunch
13:45 pm	Period 5
14:40 pm	Period 6
15:30 pm	DEAR (Drop Everything and Read)
15:45 pm	End of school day year 9, 10 and Sixth Form
15:30 pm until 16:20 pm	Year 11 Period 7

I'm really looking forward to seeing everyone, in particular our new Year 9 and 12 students. It is always a little daunting starting a new school but I want to reassure you that we are a school which looks after each other and we will soon be in the swing of things and you will be enjoying our way of doing things.

I hope that you enjoy the rest of your holiday and am excited to welcome you back to the school next week.

Yours Faithfully

Naomi Leech

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