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Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you all had a restful and enjoyable break. We are delighted to welcome everyone back for the new term and look forward to an exciting and productive start to the year. I am sorry that we had to cancel Year 9 Parents' Evening last night and close the academy today following the severe weather. I am sure you will agree that safety is priority.

I am really impressed with the start of the new term. Attendance is strong at 95% and pupils have settled smoothly and seamlessly back into the routines of learning. Thank you for your ongoing support in making this happen.

We are also thrilled to welcome new members of staff to our school community. These teachers bring a wealth of experience and enthusiasm, and we are confident they will make a fantastic contribution to our pupils' learning. Joining our staff team this term: Mr Hutton (Teacher of Computer Science and Maths), Mr Holmes (Teacher of Science – Physics specialist), Mrs Duern (Teacher of Science) and Ms Cyster (Teacher of Music). This means that music is now back on the curriculum for all Key Stage 3 pupils (Year 7, Year 8 and Year 9). Mr Houchin has also been appointed as an additional cover supervisor for the next two terms.

Important Reminder for Year 10 and 11 Parents:

Our **Revision Event** will take place on **Wednesday 14th January**. This is an important opportunity to support your child in preparing for their upcoming exams, and we strongly encourage attendance. Parents and pupils in Year 10 and Year 11 are welcome to attend; the event starts at 4.00 pm. Please register using the following link: [KS4 Revision Event - Click to Sign up](#)

Clubs Update:

You no longer need to book clubs via Edulink. Students simply need to attend the club, and the club leader will register them. A full list of clubs will be sent out weekly as a reminder.

Reducing Email Traffic – New Weekly Communication:

To streamline communication and reduce the number of reminder emails, we are introducing a **weekly "Week Ahead" update**. This will be shared via email and Facebook and will include events, clubs, interventions, and key date reminders for the following week. We hope this will make it easier for you to stay informed without being overwhelmed by multiple messages.



Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to working together to make this term a successful one for all our students.

Warm regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'V. Dean', with a large, stylized initial 'V'.

Mrs V Dean
Principal