

NW/LR/End of Term

May 2026

May Half Term Break

Dear Parents and Carers

As the 2025-26 secondary timetable comes to a close and we move pupils up one year, on Friday May 22nd, 2026, we will close school to secondary pupils at 1.15pm.

Pupils will attend the lessons periods 1-4 and will be dismissed at 1.15pm. Pupils who wish to access lunch may do so at break or can request this through their Head of Year.

Year 11 and Year 13 will have had 2 weeks of exams and this will be a study at home day for these pupils in preparation for their exams that start on Monday 1st June. On Friday May 22nd there are some exams, Sport, Italian or Arabic exams, and these pupils must be in school for these exams then will go home. It will also be the start of their study leave though all pupils are welcomed back into school and will have a dedicated area to study along with support and access to their teachers should they wish. Pupils will still be expected to attend exams in full school uniform.

This time will allow staff the time to move books and resources for the June start with a new timetable and pupils moving up a year group.

We will reopen on Monday June 1st, 2026.

Finally, can I take this opportunity to wish you all a safe, healthy and enjoyable May mid-term break. We look forward to welcoming the pupils back to school on Monday 1st June 2026.

Yours sincerely



Mr Neil Wilkinson
Executive Headteacher

