

3rd October 2023

Dear Parents, Carers and Students,

INSET Day 6th October & Term Time Holidays

I hope this letter finds you well. I write to remind you that the school will be closed to pupils this Friday 6th October for an in service training (INSET) day for staff. We will be back open again on Monday 9th October with pupils expected on site by 8:25am.

On another note, we want to remind parents and carers that non-attendance linked to taking holidays during term time will not be authorised by the school apart from the most exceptional of circumstances. Whilst we realise and sympathise with the cost of booking flights and accommodation during peak summer holiday times, we cannot authorise this time off and will always have to take necessary action in response to parents taking their children out of school for family holidays.

The link between strong attendance and the very best outcomes for children is well established. Therefore, we have this stance in the best interests of your child and thank you for your support in this matter.

Kind regards,

Mathew Rogers Principal