



2nd April 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope this message finds you and your family well.

Thank you for your support this Half Term. I am sure you will enjoy the newsletter which has some lovely celebrations of the work of students and staff this Half Term.

At the end of each Half Term, we always send a letter about a key part of school life to try and continually work together to support your child's learning.

This time we are sending you information about Behaviour in the school – specifically what our 'Hands Off' policy means and why we take a firm, zero-tolerance approach to physical contact that involves hitting, pushing, slapping, kicking, shoving, grabbing or any form of unwanted physical aggression. In school, we refer to this simply as our "Hands Off" policy.

### Why "Hands Off" matters

Our core responsibility is to ensure that every student feels **safe, respected by their peers and ready to learn**. Even seemingly minor acts of physical aggression between friends can escalate quickly and may cause harm—both physical and emotional—to the students involved or to those nearby. A "hands off" approach removes any ambiguity and helps prevent situations from developing into something more serious, even between friends.

### Supporting positive choices

We know that young people sometimes act impulsively, especially when they are frustrated or upset. Part of our role is to help students learn how to regulate their emotions, solve problems respectfully and seek adult help when needed. Our zero-tolerance stance here to 'hands off' is therefore about **clear expectations, consistent boundaries, and supportive guidance**.

When physical aggression does occur, there will always be a consequence, allowing the student involved to be given the chance to reflect, repair relationships where appropriate, and access support from staff. However, we always continue to take these incidents seriously to protect the wellbeing of all members of our school community.

### Working Together

If you ever feel your child is struggling with regulating emotions or acting physically towards peers, please remember we are here to help. Our pastoral team is always available for guidance and support through our Talk with The Albion contact form [Talk with The Albion Academy | Contact Us |](#)

#### **Principal Mr M Rogers**

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[The Albion Academy](#) . Please select 'General Pastoral' from the drop-down list and we will support you as best we can.

Finally, on an Academic note, Period 6 continues when we return from holiday. This is extra support for all Year 11 pupils, who start exams very soon after we return.

To help, we have attached their Easter revision schedule below and strongly encourage your Year 11 child to attend these sessions!

## Year 11 Easter Revision Overview

Date	Time	Subject	Staff	Class/Student List	Room
Tuesday 7th April	9am - 11am	English	JFE	11L1	F02
		English	LSO	11L3	F03
		English	CGA	11L4	F04
		English	SWA	11R1 and 11R2 combined	F05
	11am - 1pm	History	LFL	11/A2	F02
		History	EMC	11B/Hi1	F03
History		SBG	11A/Hi1	F04	
Wednesday 8th April	11am - 1pm	Citizenship	GDA	11B/Ci1	F05
Friday 10th April	9am - 1pm	Drama	TVE	11A/Dr1	F01
Monday 13th April	9am - 11am	Spanish	ACA	Higher Tier	F02
		Spanish	AFA	Higher Tier	F03
		Spanish	SCO	Higher Tier	F04
	11am - 1pm	Spanish	ACA	Foundation Tier	F02
		Spanish	AFA	Foundation Tier	F03
		Spanish	SCO	Foundation Tier	F04
Tuesday 14th April	9am - 1pm	Geography	JMI	11A/Gg2	F02
		Geography	HBI	11B/Gg1	F03
		Geography	CMC	11A/Gg1	F04
Wednesday 15th April	9am - 11am	English	GJO	11L2	F02
	9am - 11am	English	SWA	11R1 and 11R3	F05
	9am - 1pm	Art	AHO	11A/Ar1, 11C/Ar1 - Selected Students only	G15
Thursday 16th April	9am - 11am	Maths	KSA	11L1	F05
		Maths	GGA	11L2	F03
		Maths	ZSU	11L3	F02
		Maths	SMC	Foundation Tier	F08

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Finally, I have attached term dates to this letter, but we start back in school at **8:25am on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April.**

Have a lovely Easter break.

Kind regards,

Mathew Rogers  
Principal

Georgia Gardiner  
Head of School

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