

KDS/JSS

17 July 2020



Dear Parents/Carers

Final Reminders

I said I wouldn't write to you again but I couldn't resist! Listed below are the final reminders so that September will start smoothly. Please do not lose this letter and do refer back to it before we commence the new term.

I'm sure many of you have seen our best bits video; if not you can find this on the school website. The video for me sums up the immense sense of team spirit that epitomises our #Crestwoodfamily.

My staff have been working flat out since the beginning of March and throughout lockdown, they are tired and in need of a break as so many key workers are. As a result, I have instructed **all** staff to turn off their emails from Wednesday 22nd July to Friday 28th August. Please be aware that whilst you may attempt to make contact, you are highly unlikely to get a response before this date. Likewise, the school sites are being shut down and will only be open for maintenance from Monday 3rd August.

We will be in school for results day on the 20th August and I cannot wait to see the Year 11's that were so cruelly taken from us too soon due to the pandemic.

Thank you for being an incredible support. I have had so many lovely messages this week from you as you have come into school for the 1 to 1 meetings. I really look forward to seeing everyone in September. Have a fantastic but safe summer.

Term starts:

Students return to school on **Thursday 3rd September 2020 at 8.30am**. Students will not be allowed to enter the school site before 8.10am, through their designated Key Stage gate and will go straight to their tutor base. Where possible we do encourage not arriving before 8.20am. Registration will be only five minutes from 8.30-8.35am, with Period 1 starting at 8.35am so students need to arrive in school on time. The two Key Stage bubbles have different timings of the school day so that Years 10 & 11 finish at 2.35pm and Years 7, 8 & 9 finish at the normal time of 2.50pm. Please see below for details on which entrances/exits students will need to use.

Campus Specific Logistics: Shakespeare		
	KS3 (Years 7, 8 & 9)	KS4 (Years 10 & 11)
Entrances	<p>Gates open at 8.10am</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">KS3 (Years 7, 8 & 9) use the Bike Shed GateStudents proceed straight to tutor groups using inside routesTutor groups using U6 to enter via U4.	<p>Gates open at 8.10am</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">KS4 (Years 10 & 11) use the Church GateStudents proceed straight to tutor groups using outside routes using fire escape staircases where necessaryThose in G8 and G10 go directly to the outside doors at the front of the school

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Campus Specific Logistics: Cherbourg		
	KS3 (Years 7, 8 & 9)	KS4 (Years 10 & 11)
Entrances	Gates open at 8.10am <ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 7 Main Gate on Cherbourg RoadYear 8 & 9 Chestnut Road GateCycle sheds - sectioned into the bubblesStudents proceed directly to tutor rooms	Gates open at 8.10am <ul style="list-style-type: none">Years 10 & 11 Cherbourg Road GateCycle sheds - sectioned into the bubblesStudents proceed directly to tutor rooms

To confirm, as there has been some confusion, Year 11 enhancement will commence in September and will be delivered virtually. Year 10 enhancement is planned to start in Summer Term 2021.

Finance/ school meals:

Please note that only essential cash will be taken at the main school offices and the money loading machines will not be in operation. Parents should pay money onto their child's Scopay account for their school lunches. There is a mobile phone App for Scopay if you would like to use it or you can access it via our website using the 'Online Payments' link on the home page. If you do not have an account, or you are unsure of your login details, please contact the Finance Officer at karen.gibson@crestwood.hants.sch.uk. New students and parents will receive their logins as soon as possible in the first week of school and year 7 students will be taught how to use the system. Year 7 students will receive a free school lunch on the first day back to give us time to organise this. Students are also welcome to bring their own packed lunch if they wish.

ClassCharts:

ClassCharts logins for new parents and students will be given out to students to bring home on the first day of term. There will also be instructions for parents on how to login. Year 7s will be taught how to use ClassCharts in the first couple of days by their tutors.

Uniform:

- As we are unable to share resources please remember to provide your child with an **apron to use for Science and Technology**. They are available from Skoolkit, Amazon etc. and any colour is fine.
- Full uniform must be worn from September including blazers.

Calendar and key dates:

Please find attached Key Dates for 2020-21. They are also available on our website under the Calendar tab <https://crestwood.hants.sch.uk/school-information/calendar/>.

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A reminder of our Inset Days for 2020/21:

- Friday 25th September 2020
- Friday 23rd October 2020
- Monday 2nd November 2020
- Thursday 22nd July 2021
- Friday 23rd July 2021

Wishing you a very restful Summer break. Stay safe and we will see you all in September.

Yours sincerely

Krista Dawkins
Headteacher

Attached - Key Dates 2020-21

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Crestwood Key Dates for Parents 2020-21

Date	Events
Thursday 3 September 2020	All students in school (in tutor groups all day)
Friday 4 September 2020	All students in school (follow timetable)
Monday 14 September 2020	Shakespeare Individual School Photos Years 7-11
Tuesday 15 September 2020	Cherbourg Individual School Photos Years 7-11
Wednesday 16 September 2020	HPV Jabs (rescheduled)
Wednesday 23 September 2020	Open Evening (Ch) tbc
Thursday 24 September 2020	Open Evening (Sh) tbc
Friday 25 September 2020	INSET Day
Tuesday 13 October 2020	Mental Health Workshops (Ch)
Wednesday 14 October 2020	Mental Health Workshops (Sh)
Tuesday 20 October 2020	Mental Health Workshops (Ch)
Wednesday 21 October 2020	Mental Health Workshops (Sh)
Thursday 22 October 2020	Last day of half term for students
Friday 23 October 2020	INSET Day
Monday 2 November 2020	INSET Day
Tuesday 3 November 2020	Students return to school
Tuesday 17 November 2020	Parent Support Coffee Morning
Tuesday 24 November 2020	Parent Mental Health Workshop AM
Thursday 26 November 2020	Parent Mental Health Workshop PM
Thursday 26 November 2020	GCSE Certificate Evening
Tuesday 1 December 2020	Year 11 Pop-Up 1 (target students only)
Thursday 3 December 2020	Christkindlmarkt
Tuesday 8 December 2020	Christmas Concert
Friday 18 December 2020	End of Autumn Term (early closure 12.45pm)
Monday 4 January 2021	Start of Spring Term
Monday 11 January 2021	Year 11 Mock Exams begin
Thursday 14 January 2021	Year 7 Parents' Evening (Sh)
Monday 25 January 2021	Year 11 MFL speaking mocks begin
Tuesday 26 January 2021	Year 9 Learn With US
Thursday 28 January 2021	Year 8 Parents' Evening (Sh)
Monday 1 February 2021	Children's Mental Health Awareness Week
Tuesday 2 February 2021	Parent Mental Health Workshop AM
Thursday 4 February 2021	Parent Mental Health Workshop PM
Thursday 11 February 2021	Year 10 Parents' Evening (Sh)
Friday 12 February 2021	School closes for half term
Monday 22 February 2021	School reopens

Date	Events
Thursday 25 February 2021	Year 11 Parents' Evening (Sh)
Monday 1 March 2021	Year 9 Exams begin
Tuesday 2 March 2021	Parent Mental Health Workshop AM
Thursday 4 March 2021	Parent Mental Health Workshop PM
Tuesday 9 March 2021	Year 10 Learn with US
Wednesday 10 March 2021	Year 10 Learn with US
Thursday 11 March 2021	Year 6 Welcome Meetings
Tuesday 23 March 2021	Year 11 Pop-up 2 (target students only)
Thursday 25 March 2021	Year 9 Parents' Evening (Sh)
Thursday 1 April 2021	End of Spring Term
Monday 19 April 2021	Start of Summer Term
Wednesday 21 April 2021	Year 9 Options Evening (Ch)
Thursday 22 April 2021	Year 9 Options Evening (Sh)
Tuesday 27 April 2021	Parent Mental Health Workshop AM
Tuesday 27 April 2021	Year 7 Learn With US
Thursday 29 April 2021	Parent Mental Health Workshop PM
Friday 7 May 2021	Year 9 Option Form Deadline
Monday 10 May 2021	Mental Health Awareness Week
Friday 14 May 2021	GCSEs commence
Saturday 15 May 2021	Family / Community Wellbeing Day
Friday 28 May 2021	School closes for half term
Monday 7 June 2021	School reopens
Tuesday 15 June 2021	Parent Mental Health Workshop AM
Thursday 17 June 2021	Parent Mental Health Workshop PM
Friday 18 June 2021	Year 8 Learn With US
Monday 21 June 2021	Year 10 Exams commence
Wednesday 23 June 2021	Year 6 Induction Day 1
Wednesday 23 June 2021	GCSEs end
Tuesday 29 June 2021	Year 6 Induction Day 2
Thursday 1 July 2021	Year 11 Prom, Macdonald Botley Park Hotel
Monday 5 July 2021	Year 10 Work Experience begins
Monday 19 July 2021	Whole school reward trips
Tuesday 20 July 2021	Awards Evening
Wednesday 21 July 2021	End of Summer Term (early closure 12.45pm)
Thursday 22 July 2021	INSET Day
Friday 23 July 2021	INSET Day

Correct as of 17/07/2020. Please consult calendar on school website for updates.