



Coopers School



An IB World School

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'Enabling learners of today to become achievers of tomorrow'



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Dear Parent / Carer

As we approach the end of this school year I would like to take the opportunity to thank you for your continued support. Year 8 has been a demanding year and I have been really impressed with the confidence, enthusiasm and resilience that this year group has shown to their studies and it is my hope that this excellent attitude to learning continues into Year 9.

Every year is important in the development of a child's emotional and academic well-being and it is our job as a school to work together with parents and carers to ensure that students are guided and supported on this journey.

Year 9 is a very exciting year as it is the start of GCSE pathways. It is important that students come back with a positive attitude ready to embrace this challenge.

It is important that students relax and recharge during the summer holiday so we will not be issuing specific subject homework this year. However, attached is a list of free enjoyable and educational activities that I hope you will take advantage of during the break. I will be asking tutors to dedicate a few PPS sessions to discuss the activities that students enjoyed during the first few weeks back in September.

Please may I take this opportunity to remind you that the autumn term starts at 8.30am on Wednesday 5 September. Students should arrive by 8.25am and go to their form room where they will spend Period 1 with their tutor. During this time they will receive their new timetables and undertake a goal-setting activity for the year ahead. There will be an expectations assembly during the day with lessons continuing as normal for the remainder of the day. The full calendar for Year 9 is enclosed.

Miss West, Mr Golding and I have enjoyed supporting your child during the past year. Next year your child moves to the middle school which is led by Miss Olley, Assistant Principal.

I wish you all a relaxing summer.

With kind regards

Yours faithfully

Ann Porteous
Assistant Principal, Lower School

Chair of Governors: Andrew Downes

Senior Vice Principal: Matthew Baker

Vice Principals: Rob Carling | Samantha Chapman | Hazel Hatch | Jane Salt

Curious Creative Resilient Respectful Empathetic



Free educational activities to enjoy during the summer.

Free Art Galleries

The National Gallery

Tate Modern

Tate Britain

Free Museums

Museum of London. The history of London, from prehistoric times to the present is told in the Museum of London through reconstructed interiors and street scenes, alongside displays of original artefacts.

The V&A houses one of the world's greatest collections of decorative arts, in such varied fields as ceramics, sculpture, portrait miniatures and photography.

The British Museum. A collection of mummies, the Rosetta Stone, Lindow Man, the Lewis Chessmen and the Sutton Hoo Ship Burial.

The Science Museum. Interactive displays and science related collections.

The Natural History Museum.

National Maritime Museum at Greenwich.

Imperial War Museum.

A list of parks in Bromley can be found at: http://www.bromley.gov.uk/directory/4/parks_in_bromley

Nature reserves

High Elms Country Park Local Nature Reserve is 250 acres of countryside.

Jubilee Country Park Local Nature Reserve in Petts Wood.

Scadbury Park in Chislehurst.