

10th July 2026

End Of Term Arrangements

Dear Parent/Carer,

As we look forward to the end of term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all your support and engagement with the school throughout this academic year. It has been another fantastic year and we continue to be immensely proud of our students' commitment, resilience and achievements, particularly those celebrated during our Evenings of Excellence over the past term.

I would like to confirm that **Friday 17th July 2026** will be the final day of the school year. School will finish at **12:20pm for students in Years 7 and 8** and **12:30pm for students in Years 9 and 10**. Students will leave the school site using their usual exits.

If you require supervision for your child until the normal end of the school day, please contact the appropriate Head of Year or Pastoral Support Manager, who will be happy to make the necessary arrangements.

If your child is entitled to Free School Meals, a packed lunch will be available for collection at break time before students leave the site.

Students will be expected to go directly home at the end of the school day and must not visit local primary schools.

Students should continue to attend school in full school uniform or Lealands PE kit on all school days up to and including **Friday 17th July 2026**, with the exception of **Cultural Heritage Day**.

Cultural Heritage Day – Tuesday 14th July 2026

Students may choose to wear:

- Traditional cultural dress;
- A plain red T-shirt in support of anti-racism; or
- An **international** football / cricket shirt. (Only international shirts are acceptable)

Students wearing a T-shirt or football shirt should wear this with their usual school trousers/skirt or PE shorts.

Students who choose not to participate should attend in full school uniform or Lealands PE kit.

Return to School – Autumn Term 2026

Students will return for the Autumn Term on **Thursday 3rd September 2026** at the following times:

Year Group	Arrival Time	Line Up	Entrance
Year 7	8:20am	8:30am	Courts Entrance
Year 8	10:15am	10:25am	Main Entrance – Green Gate
Year 9	10:15am	10:25am	Main Entrance – Silver Gate
Year 10	11:15am	11:25am	Main Entrance – Green Gate
Year 11	11:15am	11:25am	Main Entrance – Silver Gate

Normal School Day (from Friday 4th September 2026)

Year Group	Arrival Window	Line Up	End of School Day	Entrance
Year 7	8:20–8:30am	8:30am	3:00pm	Courts Entrance
Year 8	8:20–8:30am	8:30am	3:00pm	Main Entrance – Green Gate
Year 9	8:20–8:30am	8:30am	3:00pm	Main Entrance – Silver Gate
Year 10	8:45–8:55am	8:55am	3:20pm	Main Entrance – Green Gate
Year 11	8:45–8:55am	8:55am	3:20pm	Main Entrance – Silver Gate

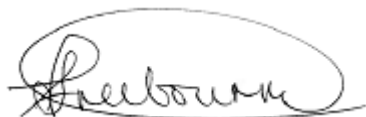
Students will line up with their tutors on the first day of term. Tutor group information will be available to students via **Epraise** from **Tuesday 1st September 2026**. We encourage all students and parents/carers to engage regularly with Epraise throughout the year, as it provides valuable information regarding attendance, behaviour and academic progress.

Staff will continue to collect students from line-up areas for the first lesson of the day and after social times. This approach continues to support calm, safe and orderly transitions around the school and ensures that students are well supervised throughout the day.

Breakfast will be available in the dining area from **8:00am each morning**, beginning on **Friday 4th September 2026**. Breakfast is subsidised to provide excellent value for all families and is free for students who are eligible for Free School Meals. Any student arriving before their allocated arrival window should report directly to the Breakfast Club in the dining area, where they will be supervised.

As we reach the end of another successful academic year, I would like to thank you once again for your continued support and partnership. We wish all of our students and families a safe, restful and enjoyable summer break, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back in September.

Yours sincerely,



Miss Freebourne

Assistant Headteacher