



Our Lady and St Chad Catholic Academy

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Dear Parent / Carer,

Thank you to all students, staff and families for the support, feedback and guidance throughout the year. As an Academy, we have enjoyed so many individual and collective successes from being national sporting finalists, to achieving Good and Outstanding inspection reports; all of which only occur when we work as a team.

Thank you to staff who are leaving the Academy this year to take up new posts and challenges; we wish them every happiness.

A particular thanks to Miss Jones who is beginning a new venture. She has been at Our Lady and St Chad Catholic Academy for 20 years and has been an inspirational support to many students.



The Academy's £ 4.7 million expansion plan has now been formally agreed and will begin with internal remodelling over the summer holiday. Phase 1 will be completed by Christmas and will relocate the student and visitor receptions to further safeguard site and provide a larger student entrance space.

The last two weeks have been really busy with visits including Sailing, the Duke of Edinburgh expedition and Rewards visits. Well done to all involved.

This term the Academy has experienced even more success in sport. The Year 9 rounders team achieved 3rd place and Year 10 became City Champions, qualifying for the national finals.

In September the Academy will be adopting the following changes:

- Introduction of a new behaviour/consequences system to provide increased opportunity for students to make appropriate decisions and take responsibility for their own behaviour.
- Re-organisation of dinner times to have only two year groups at lunch at any one time to improve student access to dining facilities.
- **Higher expectations of students' uniform and footwear.** Thank you to parents who have contacted the Academy for increased clarity on footwear. Please see footwear guidance attached. Please note: no jeans, tight trousers etc are permitted.

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- Re-organisation of 'school within a school' teams as follows:

YEAR		EXECUTIVE HEAD OF SCHOOL	HEAD OF SCHOOL	DEPUTY HEAD OF SCHOOL
7	Lower	Mrs O'Sullivan Acting Vice Principal	Mr Taylor Assistant Principal	Miss McGarrigle Key Stage Leader
8 & 9	Middle	Mrs O'Sullivan Acting Vice Principal	Mr Hilditch Assistant Principal	Mrs Mason Key Stage Leader
10 & 11	Upper	Mrs Harris Vice Principal	Mrs Coombs Assistant Principal	Miss Rogers Key Stage Leader
6 TH FORM	Post-16	Mrs Harris Vice Principal	Mr Durkin Assistant Principal	Miss Spittle

Students break up on Friday at 1:00 pm.

In the meantime, we wish our Year 11 and Sixth Form students the very best for their examination results. They can collect their certificates as follows:

Sixth Form - Thursday 16th August 2018 9:30 am – 11:00 am

Year 11 - Thursday 23rd August 2018 9:30 am – 11:00 am

(Sixth Form final interviews will also take place on this day)

Finally, thank you again to all parents and carers for your ongoing support. We wish you all a safe and happy summer break.

Kindest wishes,

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Upcoming Events

Students return in September as follows:

Wednesday	5 th September	Year 7 and Sixth Form students only
Thursday	6 th September	All Years

For Information dates of Open Evenings and Open Morning:

Thursday 13/09/18	Open Evening	6:00 pm to 8:00 pm
Saturday 29/09/18	Open Morning	10:00 am to 12 Noon
Thursday 04/10/18	Open Evening	6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Important Dates for Autumn Term

Monday	17 th September	Year 11 PPE
Wednesday	26 th September	Year 7 Parental Engagement Evening (4:30 – 5:30 pm)
Thursday	18 th October	Sixth Form Parental Engagement Evening (4:30 – 5:30 pm)
Friday	26 th October	Break up for half term
Monday	5 th November	Staff Training Day (no students in school)
Thursday	8 th November	Year 11 Parental Engagement Evening / Sixth Form Open Evening (5:00 – 6:30 pm)
Thursday	22 nd November	Sixth Form Parents' Evening (4:30 – 7:00 pm)
Friday	21 st December	Break up for Christmas

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OLSC Acceptable Footwear Guide

Students have received assemblies and briefings for a few months now on the importance of coming into school in proper school shoes in September. Please see guidance below. As always your support is appreciated.

All students are expected to wear sensible **all black, all leather polish-able shoes**. This means no trainers (no sports brands - including Nike, Adidas and similar), **no leisure shoes**, no boots, no canvas, no air bubbles, no rubber toe caps, no suede). All trims and logos **MUST be black**. Heels should be no higher than 4cm. Shoes must not be backless.

The following images show examples of shoes that are deemed unacceptable:



The images below are examples of shoes that are acceptable:



Students who do not have the correct footwear will be expected to borrow Academy shoes that are kept clean using hygienic spray after each use. Failure to comply with expectations will lead to appropriate sanctions in line with the Academy Behaviour Policy.

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