

# Upper School Newsletter



## Welcome back to Upper School

We are excited to welcome all our students, families, and staff back for a brand-new school year. The start of term is always a special time—full of fresh opportunities, new challenges, and the chance to build on past successes. This year, we look forward to working together to create a positive, supportive, and inspiring learning environment for everyone. Whether you are returning or joining us for the first time, we are delighted to have you as part of our school community. Let's make this year one of growth, achievement, and memorable moments. Here's to a fantastic start to the term ahead!

Matt Carroll, Jayne Townsend, Mark Scott and the Upper School team.

## Celebrations

Our students worked incredibly hard last year, and we were proud to celebrate their excellent exam results achieved over the summer. Many also took part in summer break activities, developing new skills, building friendships, and representing our school community with exemplary behaviour.



## Pastoral

Uniform - All students in year 10 and 11 are expected to wear school uniform. We have t-shirts and jumpers available at reception.

Students are expected to hand their phones in every morning. We now have phone locker bags available if students would prefer to use those.



## Learning

Students in Upper School can expect to cover these topics this term

Music – primary and secondary cords.

Science – Organic chemistry, methods of separation and the mammalian circulatory system.

English – Narrative and structure.

Maths – Indices and factorising.

Catering – Identifying what makes a safe a risk free cooking environment.

Construction – Health and safety.

Motor vehicle - Routine maintenance and understanding the combustion engine.

## Reminders

All sixth form students will be taking part in outdoor education on Thursday afternoon. Please come dressed appropriately and with a coat.

