



Kirkby High School

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Dear Parent/Carer,

As we near the end of a very busy school year, I would like to thank you for your ongoing support. It has been a busy year and I am delighted that we had the opportunity to share our successes, achievements and improvements with Ofsted inspectors who visited school this week. The whole school community will celebrate the outcome as soon it is officially made public. Until then, I am not in a position to share the judgement with you but look forward to doing so as soon as possible.

Year 11 Results Day

I hope all the outgoing Year 11s who went to prom enjoyed themselves immensely. It was great fun and staff and students certainly made the most of having an opportunity to hit the dance floor together. The conduct of our young leavers was impeccable and the atmosphere was electric. I felt very proud. GCSE results day is on Thursday 25th August and students are invited into school to collect results between 9am and 11am. This will be followed by a celebration evening in November to which all Year 11 leavers and families will be invited.

Please see below for September 2022 return dates:

Thursday 1st September	Staff Training Day	All Staff
Friday 2nd September	Year 7 Induction Day	Year 7 ONLY
Monday 5th September	All Years return to school	Years 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11

The timings of the school day and bus times are below:

Registration	8.45 – 9.00
Lesson 1	9.00 – 10.00
Lesson 2	10.00 – 11.00
Break	11.00 - 11.15
Lesson 3	11.15 - 12.15
Lesson 4	12.15 – 1.15
Lunch	1.15 - 2.00
Lesson 5	2.00 – 3.00

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771 - Tower Hill/Westvale	
Bank Lane/Windermere Drive	07:50
Headbolt Lane/County Road	08:00
Kirkby Station/Whitefield Drive	08:25
Kirkby High School	08:35
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772 - Northwood	
All Saints RC School	08:10
Bramcote Walk	08:15
Quarry Green	08:18
Simonswood Lane	08:20
Kirkby High School	08:30

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Uniform expectations

At Kirkby High School, we believe strongly that wearing our school uniform well and with pride contributes to the calm learning environment we all want for our children. In September we will reinforce our high standards of uniform.

Under no circumstances can a student attend school wearing trainers. We will not be flexible on this. Please see the table below and share this crucial information with your child. We appreciate your support with this.

Uniform rules that will be enforced from the start of the next academic year are:

<u>We expect the following:</u>	<u>Please note the following:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Black blazer with badge• Grey trousers / Grey skirt or slip worn to <u>knee length or longer</u>• White shirt / White blouse• School tie (<i>must be tied at a sufficient length that shows the school badge</i>)• Grey school badged cardigan or school badged V neck jumper• Plain black socks• Black flat leather style shoes• A sensible school bag large enough to carry A4 file	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No trainers• No extreme hairstyles• No coats worn inside the building• No handbags• No false/polished nails• No false eyelashes• No jewellery worn (except a wristwatch)

Mobile phones are not allowed to be seen or used in school. If a student has a mobile phone, it must be switched off and out of sight at all times. Phones that are seen will be confiscated and stored safely and only returned when a parent/carer collects it from school.

Earrings, nose rings etc are not allowed in school. Any jewellery seen will be confiscated and stored safely and only returned when a parent/carer collects them from school. Hairbrushes must be out of sight and must not be used in classrooms or communal areas.

If your child is having a piercing done over summer, ensure that it is done at the start of the holidays so there is enough time for healing. Recent piercings will not be accepted as an excuse to wear jewellery in school.

All the information regarding uniform, jewellery and makeup can be found on the parents' section of the school website and I would encourage you to refer to this. <http://kirkbyhighschool.net/for-parents/school-uniform>

Important Message

Attendance to school is statutory. From September, Kirkby High School will continue to engage with families to ensure that you understand that all students must regularly attend school aiming for a minimum of 96% attendance for each child. Holidays during term time are not approved of and will likely lead to a fixed penalty notice.

Final Day of Term

School closes for summer at midday on Tuesday 19th July. As a celebration, **ALL** students are invited to attend school in non-uniform on the last day.

Kind regards (stay safe and well)



Mrs R Conefrey
Headteacher