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Miss Sylvia Thomas – Principal of Banbury Aspirations Campus

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Dear Parents/Carers

Thank you for all of the support that you have given your children during what has been a very different term for everyone.

As I mentioned in my last update to parents we have been looking again at the structure of the school day for all year groups because the staggered start/finish is not working as effectively as we would like. With more and more cases of Covid in our community we feel that we have to take a more radical view and therefore I am going to outline the changes we are making for Year 9 below. As you will see some of their programme remains the same.

Start of school

Students should be at the side gate by 9.40 a.m. to start their period 1 at 9.45 a.m..

In the shortened period 1 they will do the Recap to Retain and guided practice only. They will be expected to do the Independent practice at home that evening.

Assemblies will have to take place at other times in the week if we need to share important messages with the whole year group.

We will revisit this for Spring term 1 after Christmas when a different year group will come in later.

Breaktime and lunchtime

All students will have 15 minutes for break but we are reducing lunchtime to 20 minutes

End of school

Year 9 students will leave campus at 2.50 p.m. via the side gate and should walk straight home

If you have any questions please email the Year 9 head of year (Miss C Foster)

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Yours faithfully

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