



THE WEBBER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL

Achieving Excellence Together

25 April 2017

Dear Parents & Guardians

It was lovely to welcome the children back this morning looking rested and refreshed after the Easter holiday geared up ready for another busy and exciting term.

Whilst the children and staff were away the site team were busy with their on-going maintenance programme giving the site a spring clean and creating a lovely new medical room and facilities.

At the back of the School we have created some clearly marked white parking bays and non-parking yellow cross hatched zones to ensure that the area directly in front of the Student Entrance is clear to allow the safe entry and exit of our children. Can I ask all parents, staff and student drivers to park only in the designated areas and to observe the 5 mile per hour speed limit whilst driving on the school grounds as we are becoming increasingly busy at peak drop off and pick up times, it is essential that we all take due care supervising our children before and after school to ensure their safety.

I have attached the fee schedule for the Academic Year 2017-18 for your information. As you will note we have moved to a phased fee structure across each distinct area of the school. Whilst there has been an increase, I am sure you will agree that our school fees remain very competitive in the Independent School Market and we continue to strive to ensure an outstanding personalized education offering for your children.

A separate letter will also be coming out today sharing with you the Independent Schools Inspection Report. We are delighted to be able to announce that we achieved the very rigorous and exacting standards in all 8 /8 Sections of the Regulatory Compliance Inspection.

Term 3 is another busy and full term and we will be sharing with you the Key Dates for the term later this week, to allow you to 'save the date' for important events such as Sports Day and our Award Ceremonies etc.

This term is also key for our senior students in Years 11-13 who will be sitting their external GCSE and A level Examinations. They have been in school over the holidays working with staff and studying independently and I am confident that they are ready and will do their very best. We wish them luck and the success that all their hard work deserves.

The Extra Curricular Programme will be coming out this week and we will be signing the students up for their Clubs, Booster Classes and Activities later this week, with all clubs formally starting next week.



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To help strengthen our marketing of the school we are working with Carfax Educational Projects to gather customer feedback. They will be contacting a random selection of parents by telephone across the whole age range of the school to ask for your feedback in the coming week.

Towards the end of May we will also be taking part in the GEMS Global Satisfaction Survey which will be an annual survey of parents, children and staff to help us identify what we are doing well and how we can improve and develop further.

Both of the above initiatives are welcomed to help us work together to grow and improve Webber and I hope that you will embrace these opportunities to give us your valuable feedback.

I look forward to seeing many of you in school over the term.

Kind regards

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