

25<sup>th</sup> March 2024

## Principal's End of Term Update

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you are having a good week and looking forward to the Easter break. I wanted to write with some quick end of term updates, before our final day of term on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March (a reminder that students finish school at 12.30pm).

### Ofsted

First, I want to thank parents for their support during our Ofsted inspection on Tuesday and Wednesday last week. It goes without saying, but this was an incredibly important event in the life and history of KAA, and I couldn't have been prouder of our whole school community during this time. A particular thanks to anyone who completed the online ParentView survey and offered their feedback directly to the inspectors. The report will be published after the Easter break, and we will write to let you know as soon as this happens.

### Locker clear out

Over the Easter break our facilities team will be clearing out and completing a spring clean of student lockers. **This means students must remove all items for their school locker by Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March, then remove the padlock and bring it home with them over the break.** Any padlocks remaining on lockers may be removed by facilities and any items contained will be thrown away.

### Free School Meals

Parents whose children are eligible for Free School Meals (FSM) will receive vouchers for the Easter break with a value of £44 per child. These will be issued via email on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March, so please ensure your email is up to date. In our experience, the most common barrier to parents receiving these vouchers on time is that email addresses have changed without us being informed, or that the message has been filtered to the spam folder.

### Holiday Revision & Intervention

Our staff are offering a number of holiday revision sessions to students in Y11 and Y13 over the Easter break. A full timetable is available on our website here: <https://kaa.org.uk/y11-y13-easter-intervention-and-revision-sessions/>. Where students have been selected for targeted intervention sessions, teachers will inform them this week. Students must enter via the main school reception and late comers will not be admitted into the building.

### Y11 Parents' Evening

On **Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> April** we are holding a **Year 11 "Crunch Time" Parents' Evening at 6pm**. During this evening, myself and other senior staff will share key information relating to the upcoming GCSE exams, to ensure students are fully prepared and make a really positive start. Please ensure the date is in your diary now, and RSVP by Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April to confirm your attendance here: <https://forms.gle/fEMWa2Ru9GiwnirX9>

I'll close by thanking parents for all your support this term and wishing you a very happy and restful Easter break. Don't forget to take a look at the Intrepidus newsletter which will go out to parents via email on Thursday afternoon.

Kind regards,



**Anna Jordan**  
Principal