



23rd June 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

INSET DAY : SCHOOL CLOSED – THURSDAY 1ST JULY 2021
EARLY CLOSURE – FRIDAY 2ND JULY 2021

As we are drawing closer to the end of term, there are many events to attend, things to celebrate as well as preparing for our new academic year. As a result, I am writing to remind parents/carers that Thursday 1st July 2021 is an INSET day and therefore the school will be closed to all students. This is to ensure that staff can prepare and receive training and information in readiness for 2021/22. The Transition Day for Year 6 into 7 will take place online.

Below is a table of key events and you will note that there is also a slightly earlier closure on Friday 2nd July (2pm) in order that we can prepare for our Year 11 Celebration as unfortunately due to Covid guidance, this event has now been brought forward to an afternoon event and will be outdoors. Please note that during the final week of term Years 7-10 are having "Enrichment and Culture" weeks. Please note that from the Monday-Thursday these year groups will finish school at 2pm each day unless otherwise notified. The final day of school (Friday 16th July) will finish for all at 12.45pm.

Date	Event
Wednesday 30 th June	Poetry Showcase 4.30pm-7pm
Thursday 1 st July (INSET Day)	Year 6 Transition Day
Friday 2 nd July – Early close 2pm	Year 11 Prom
Friday 2 nd July-Friday 9 th July	Year 10 MFL Speaking & Listening Exams
Wednesday 7 th July	Off by Heart (English Recital)
Week Commencing 12 th July	Year 12 Progression Week
	Year 10 Enrichment Week – School Closes at 2pm
	Year 7-9 Culture Week – School Closes at 2pm
Wednesday 14 th July	Year 10 Sports Day
Thursday 15 th July	Year 7-9 Sports Day
Friday 16 th July	Last Day of Term – Non Uniform Day and early finish for students (12.45pm).

Many of the above events will make it onto our social media pages, please keep up to date with all our photographs via **Instagram @cardinalpolerc** and **Twitter @CardinalPoleRc**

Please can I remind students to arrive at school with a full bottle of water during this weather. Whilst we do provide students with water at lunch, owing to COVID regulations we cannot allow students to use the water fountains at present and therefore a full water bottle is important.

Finally, can I also ask you to discourage your child from using social media. An increasing number of arguments amongst young people derive from the use of social media. All arguments which derive from behaviour online are referred to our Safer Schools Liaison Officer, even when they have occurred outside school hours as they are potentially in breach of legislation.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Ms J Heffernan
EXECUTIVE HEADTEACHER