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Dear Parent/Carer

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New Term – Year 8 and 9

I hope you are all having an enjoyable and restful summer break.

I am writing to you to share some important information regarding the start of the new academic year.

Start Date for 2018-19

A reminder that the first day back of the 2018-19 academic year is **Thursday 30 August at 8.30am** for all students, irrespective of what year they are in. Leave of absence during term time is not granted, unless there are extenuating circumstances. All requests for leave during Academy term dates must be in writing or using the 'leave of absence' form that can be obtained from the Academy.

Dress Code

A previous letter had the dress code attached. Please use the website to access the student dress code if a reminder is needed. All uniform will be checked, particularly on the first day back. Students must also wear their blazers.

Stationery

It is important that our students are equipped for learning. The minimum stationery required is a pen, pencil and ruler; ideally in a pencil case. A stationery check will occur daily. Students can store extra stationery in their free locker to help with their organisation.

Spanish

Due to unforeseen circumstances, Spanish is currently not offered as part of the curriculum to some students. Recruitment of Spanish specialists is in-hand. This will not affect your son/daughter's chances of opting to take this at GCSE if they so wish.

Parental Engagement Group

This academic year will see the launch of a Parental Engagement Group. This is an exciting opportunity for parents to be more connected to the Academy. It will involve clear goals that teachers and parents work together to strive for improvement. To declare your initial interest in this scheme, please email post@lfata.org.uk and type 'Parental Engagement Group' in the subject box. More information will then be shared with you.

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Please use the Academy Facebook page and the website www.lfata.org.uk to keep up to date with the latest news.

Finally, please enjoy the rest of your summer break and I look forward to seeing all students on
Thursday 30 August at 8.30am.

Yours sincerely



Mrs C Robson
Head of School