

Year 8 – I I Families – Welcome Back to Bohunt Farnborough

Dear Families,

We are delighted to welcome your children back to Bohunt Farnborough for the start of the new academic year. The energy across the school is already building, and we cannot wait to continue the momentum from last year's incredible successes - including our record-breaking GCSE results and being awarded Pride of Rushmoor: Community School of the Year.

All students return on Thursday 3rd September.

- Year 11 should arrive by 8.35am.
- Years 8, 9 and 10 should arrive at breaktime, with gates opening at 11.10am.

Form Tutors - your first point of contact - will be writing to you at the end of this week to introduce themselves and outline how they will support your child throughout the year.

A reminder that Bohunt Farnborough is a Smartphone Free School. Students are encouraged to leave smartphones at home; if they do bring one, it must be handed in at Morning Greeting and collected at the end of the school day.

Our uniform remains an important part of maintaining high standards and a sense of pride across the school. Full details can be found here: <https://www.bohuntfarnborough.com/parents-2/uniform/> As we begin the new term, please also ensure your child has the required stationery: a black or blue pen, a red pen, pencil, ruler, highlighters, and a scientific calculator (CASIO fx-85GTCW+).

Over the summer, our Site Team have been hard at work enhancing our facilities, including redecorating areas of the school. We want every student to feel proud of their surroundings and inspired by the environment they learn in.

We are excited to welcome a number of new teachers and support staff to the Team FAB Family. They will be introduced in our first fortnightly newsletter of the year, published every other Friday.

Our approach to homework continues to evolve following last year's changes. Mrs Loch, Assistant Headteacher, will be writing to all families soon and will also upload a video to the school website explaining our provision.

Please make time to attend our Family Information Evenings, which provide essential guidance for the year ahead. These events take place in the Main Hall and are listed in date order below:

- Monday 7th September – Year 11 at 6pm
- Tuesday 8th September – Year 7 at 6pm
- Tuesday 8th September – Year 9 at 7pm
- Wednesday 9th September – Year 8 at 6pm

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- Wednesday 9th September – Year 10 at 7pm

Key term dates for the year ahead can be found here: <https://www.bohutfarnborough.com/parents-2/term-dates/>

Our thoughts are with all those affected by the recent disaster in Nepal, both within our school community and beyond. If your family has been impacted in any way, please do reach out - the school is here to support you and will do everything we can to help.

Finally, we are delighted to share that we will soon be opening our doors to all current families so you can see the transformation of the school first-hand. Dates will be released after our Year 6 Open Evening, with visits expected in October and November.

Thank you for your continued support. We are excited to begin another exceptional year together and look forward to seeing your children continue to shine.

With warmest wishes,



Daryl Bond
Headteacher

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