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24th February 2025

Welcome to Term 4

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you have all had a restful and enjoyable break. As we begin Term 4, we look forward to an exciting and productive period ahead.

Important Dates and Events:

First Day of Term: 24th February 2025

Last Day of Term: Friday 4th April 2025

Curriculum Focus:

This term, our curriculum continues to prioritise the development of independence and functional life skills. Pupils will take part in a variety of community-based educational opportunities, including regular trips to local amenities and work-related learning experiences. We encourage all students to remain engaged and make the most of these valuable learning opportunities whilst continuing with their core subjects in academic learning.

Timetabling:

Overleaf, you will find your child's new timetable for Term 4. Students will participate in a range of activities throughout the week, including weekly PE lessons on Tuesday afternoons. Please ensure your child has the appropriate clothing and footwear for these sessions. Additionally, as the colder weather persists, we kindly ask that students attending Yew Tree Farm wear older, warm clothing suitable for outdoor activities. If your child on attends Midkent College on Fridays, it is hospitality this term. Please ensure long hair is tied back, and shoes are closed toe. Please can pupils also bring along containers for taking home their baking.





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Reminders:

- Please ensure your child arrives on time and wears appropriate clothing for school.
 Crop tops, spaghetti straps, and low-rise trousers are not permitted. Shoulders must be covered, and clothing should appropriately cover the bust. Clothing with expletives or inappropriate language is not allowed.
- Pupils are required to hand their mobile telephones into the school reception on arrival. We ask for parents' support with this policy. If pupils do not wish to hand in their phones, they should leave them at home for the school day.
- All necessary equipment and homework should be brought in daily.
- If your child is unwell, please inform the school office as soon as possible.

Communication:

Please feel free to contact me, Natalie, or your child's teacher at any time to discuss any queries or concerns. We are available via email or telephone on weekdays and are happy to support you in any way we can.

We appreciate your ongoing support and look forward to another fantastic term ahead. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely,

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