

*From the Head of School***A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL PARENTS AND STUDENTS**

I would like to welcome all our students back to school and convey my best wishes for the New Year and new term at Northallerton School & Sixth Form College. As always your support and commitment is crucial to the academic and personal growth of your child and I look forward to continuing to work in partnership with you throughout 2020.

We are continuing to focus our priorities on further developing our school and as parents and carers we need your continued support in order to ensure our students get the best life chances they deserve. This term we intend to further improve the quality of education for all of our students so that they have the widest range of high quality opportunities when they leave Northallerton School & Sixth Form College. Part of our focus last term was focussing on the simplification of our behaviour and rewards system. All students should now be familiar with the three rules of being **safe**, showing **respect** and behaving in a respectful manner and being **ready** for learning at all times. We were delighted to be able to report to all year groups in their final assembly of 2019 that their behaviours were improving as we saw the number of consequences across the school fall. We seek to build on this further this year through a relentless drive on uniform, punctuality and attendance.

In both our end of term assemblies and our New Year assemblies students have reflected on the school values. They are Respect, Excellence and Friendship. Our New Year's whole school resolution is being more respectful to ourselves and others. We have explained to students what we mean by being more respectful to ourselves and others and have discussed examples such as respecting our own and others' equipment, respecting the dining room environment by tidying up and leaving clean tables for students who follow breaks and lunchtimes. We have explored what being respectful to other peoples' beliefs and views means. We have also discussed how we can respect our world more. I would ask all of you to continue these discussions with your children at home to further develop their understanding of how to show respect to people and their environment.

Mrs V Rahn
Head of School

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General Information

HOMWORK CLUB—C BLOCK

No home work club in C block on Thursday 16 January 2020 due to staff training.

CATERING NEWS

'TREAT FRIDAYS'

10 January - Chocolate eclairs (break time)

17 January - Chicken nuggets, chips and beans

24 January - Pain-Au-Chocolat (break time)

31 January - Hot dogs, fries, beans and onion rings

'THEME DAYS'

Our first Theme Day for 2020 will be on Wednesday 15 January 2020 to celebrate 'National Strawberry Ice-Cream Day'. This will be served at lunch time with fresh strawberries.

'National Farmhouse Breakfast Week' runs from 22-28 January 2020 and we will be serving an 'All Day Breakfast' at lunch time on Friday 24 January 2020.

Chinese New Year begins on Saturday 25 January 2020 until Tuesday 4 February 2020 and to celebrate this we will have a 'Chinese Theme Day' on Thursday 30 January 2020.

Monday 27 January 2020 is 'International Chocolate Cake Day' we will be serving chocolate fudge cake for our dessert at lunch time .



REMINDER

Ski Trip 2020 Years 10, 11 Post-16

Please collect an information pack from the main Science Prep Room (D block) as soon as possible. Any remaining balances need to be paid by 13 January 2020.

Thank You.

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MARATHON IN A MONTH

A challenge to get people fit while supporting a local charity.

New year challenge - Jan 20 to Feb 20, 2020

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External Exams Timetable - Jan 2020

	Morning 0915 hrs Start		Afternoon 1330 hrs Start	
Wed 08 Jan	No Exams		Cambridge Technical Business Level 3 - Unit 1 The Business Environment (120 mins)	10 students
Thu 09 Jan	No Exams		Cambridge Technical Applied Science Lvl 3 - Unit 1 Science Fundamentals (120 mins)	3 students
			Cambridge Technical Digital Media Level 3 - Unit 1 Media Products & Audiences (120 mins)	7 students
Fri 10 Jan	Cambridge Technical Business Level 3 - Unit 2 Working in Business (90 mins)	11 students	Cambridge Technical Health & Social Care Lvl 3 - Unit 3 Health, Safety & Security (90 mins)	16 students
Mon 13 Jan	Cambridge Technical Applied Science Lvl 3 - Unit 2 Laboratory Techniques (120 mins)	12 students	No Exams	
Tue 14 Jan	No Exams		Cambridge Technical Health & Social Care Level 3 - Unit 4 Anatomy & Physiology (120 mins)	9 students
Wed 15 Jan	No Exams		No Exams	
Thu 16 Jan	Cambridge Technical Health & Social Care Level 3 - Unit 7 Safeguarding (90 mins)	9 students	No Exams	
Notes			Exam Access Arrangements All JCQ approved arrangements will be reflected in All centre delegated access arrangements will be	

LUNCH

Year 13 Trial Exams Timetable

	Morning 0915 hrs Start		Afternoon 1300 hrs Start	
Wed 15 Jan	Geography Paper 1 - 150 mins English Language Paper 1 - 150 mins	4 students 8 students	Maths Paper 1 - 120 mins French Paper 1 (Listen, Read & Write) - 150 mins Spanish Paper 1	15 students 1 student 1 student
Tue 16 Jan	Cambridge Technical Exams		Cambridge Technical Exams	
Fri 17 Jan	PE Paper 1 - 120 mins Psychology Paper 1 - 90 mins Further Maths Paper 1 - 90 mins Chemistry Paper 1 -	6 students 12 students 2 students 1 student	Chemistry Paper 1 - 120 mins English Literature Paper 1 - 75 mins	7 students 10 students
Mon 20 Jan	History Paper 1 - 150 mins Physics Paper 1 - 120 mins	12 students 6 students	Biology Paper 1 - 120 mins French Paper 2 (Writing) - 120 mins Spanish Paper 2 (Writing) - 120 mins	11 students 1 student 1 student
Tue 21 Jan	Chemistry Paper 2 - 120 mins Economics Paper 1 - 120 mins Physics Paper 2 - 120 mins (clash) PE Paper 1 - 120 mins	8 students 4 students 1 student 1 student	Physics Paper 2 - 120 mins PE Paper 2 - 120 mins	5 students 7 students
Wed 22 Jan	History Paper 2 - 150 mins Further Maths Paper 2 - 90 mins Biology Paper 1 - 120 mins	12 students 2 students 1 student	Maths Paper 2 - 120 mins Psychology Paper 2 - 90 mins	15 students 12 students
Thu 23 Jan	Geography Paper 2 - 150 mins Product Design - 150 mins English Literature Paper 2 - 135 mins (clash)	4 students 1 student 1 student	Biology Paper 2 - 120 mins English Literature Paper 2 - 135 mins	12 students 9 students
Fri 24 Jan				
Notes	All clashes have been timetabled in.		Exam Access Arrangements	All JCQ approved arrangements will be reflected in these exams. All centre delegated access arrangements will be reflected in these exams. All candidates with extra time are to use a blue pen for the extra time segment of their exam.

DIARY DATES

January

Wed 8th - Thurs 16th	Cambridge Technicals
Wed 15th - Fri 24th	Year 13 Mock Exams
Monday 27th	Year 11 Trial Exams commence (end Friday 7th February) Parents' Forum, 5.30pm - 6.30pm - All welcome
Tuesday 28th	Read and Write Parent/Carer Workshop
Wednesday 29th	PRP2 Years 12 - 13 Published to Parents
Thursday 30th	Year 8 Progress Evening, 3.45pm - 6.45pm

February

w/c Monday 3rd	Year 8 SAIL Inspiration Celebrations
Thursday 6th	Intermediate Maths Challenge
w/c Monday 10th	Year 7 Global Citizens Celebrations
Thursday 13th	Year 9 Options Evening, 6.30pm - 8.30pm
Friday 14th	Sixth Form Taster Day
Friday 14th	School closes for half term
Saturday 15th-18th	GCSE Battlefields and Pilgrimage Trip
Monday 24th	School re-opens
Tuesday 25th	Year 9 Vaccinations MENACWY and DTP (TBC)
Wednesday 26th	PRP2 Year 11 - Published to parents/carers
Thursday 27th	Year 7 Progress Evening 3.45pm-6.15pm

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