

Dear Parents/Carers,

First day of school - September 2025

The first school day for pupils is Wednesday 3rd September 2025. Different year groups should arrive to school at different times as described below and the school gates will open and close at different times on this day.

Year 7 and Year 12

For year 7 and year 12, the school gates (back and front) will open between 08.25 and 8.35. On all other days, the opening times remain at the usual, 8.15 to 8.30. On this Wednesday, if you arrive after 8.35 you can enter via main reception.

Year 7 are to arrive in full school uniform and are not expected to bring their PE kit. A cooked lunch will be provided for each year 7 pupil on Wednesday and Thursday, else pupils can bring a packed lunch. If you are used to having a snack mid-morning, please bring something with you.

Once year 7 have passed through the school gates pupils are to line up on the back field by the sports hall in their houses and tutor groups. Staff will be present to greet you.

Year 12 students should make their way to the main hall.

Year groups 8, 9, 10, 11 & 13

The school gates (back and front) will open between 10.15 – 10.25 for year groups 8, 9, 10, 11 & 13. Students in year groups 8, 9, 10 & 11 should head directly to their form room.

Y13 students should go to canteen.

There will be a form time session until 11.15.