

12 May 2023

Dear all Parents & Carers

I hope you are all well.

Firstly, I would like to thank you for your patience through what may have felt like a disjointed term so far, with the National Strike Days and Bank Holidays. There are no further National Strike Days or Bank Holidays planned for this academic year, so the school calendar as it appears on our website is now accurate for the remainder of the year.

In terms of next academic year, I just need to make you aware of one minor change on the school calendar. Thursday 4th January 2024 now becomes a normal school day, and Monday 15th April 2024 will now be a staff training day. This has been updated in the term dates section of our website. You can use the link below, to find this information:

[City of Peterborough Academy - Term Dates](#)

I would like to wish all the Year 11 students the very best of luck in their upcoming GCSE exams which start next week. I know we have had other modular based examinations, but the full exam timetable starts on Monday. Could parents & carers of Year 11 students please ensure their child arrives on time for their examinations. For morning exams, there is breakfast revision available in the canteen from 8:00am.

I am also delighted to say that we are planning on our annual Activity Day to still run this academic year, in the last week of July. Very soon, you will be receiving communication about which trips are available on this day, their cost and how students will be allocated activities. I know there is a lot of excitement across the student body regarding this extremely popular day, and we are delighted that we are able to offer this once again.

Please find attached a link to the website of our community partner, the Youth Dreams Project. Here you will find details of their upcoming May half-term Holiday clubs: [YDP May Camps 2023 Booking Form – Youth Dreams Project](#)

I hope you all have a great weekend

Kind Regards

Mr B Pearce
Principal