

12<sup>th</sup> February 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to you all along with our students and dedicated staff, for contributing to yet another enriching half-term. The behaviour of our students this term has been exemplary, and a significant number has consistently maintained an excellent attendance record. I appreciate parents for their continued dedication to ensuring their children attend school regularly and on time.

The recent addition of our new building has been a valuable enhancement, providing essential facilities that have allowed us to broaden our lunchtime activities, including the immensely popular Screen Club. This offers students the opportunity to explore documentaries, expanding their knowledge in subjects such as maths, history, geography, science, and architecture. Additionally, a diverse range of lunchtime clubs is available, encompassing Basketball, Table Tennis, Badminton, Creative Writing, Music Practice, Choir, Reading Club, Societies, Board Games, and Global Citizen. We encourage students to explore these fantastic opportunities.

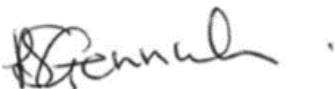
I'm also pleased to report the positive engagement of students in lessons, which is undeniably impacting their academic achievement. In the upcoming term, we aim to further enhance student engagement, ensuring that they continue to unlock their full potential. **We will expect all students to approach all lesson activities with tenacity, fully participating whether independently or in groups, and always demonstrating respect.**

#### Uniform

To ensure a positive start to Spring Term 2 for all students, I kindly request that your child arrives at school promptly, in the correct uniform, and with the right equipment, including the COLAHH water bottles. Please be aware that only the prescribed academy PE kit is permitted for PE. Please refer to our uniform policy we recently shared with you, this can also be found on our website under the 'Parents' tab. Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated, and we eagerly anticipate another successful and fulfilling half-term for everyone.

I wish you all a restful and enjoyable half-term.

Yours sincerely



Mr P Gennuh  
Principal