

15th December 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: End of Autumn Term Arrangements

At the end of a very busy and successful term, I would like to thank the students for their diligence and achievements so far. We have so many success stories to share and good news items to celebrate together; read about them in the December edition of Dormers Diary! I would also like to thank the staff for their dedication and hard work, as well as parents and carers for your continued support of Dormers Wells High School and our students.

We continue to value your active involvement in our learning community. Let me take this opportunity again to encourage you to contact the school with any concerns you may have. I believe whole heartedly that good relationships between teachers, staff, children, and parents are fundamental to the success of any school.

End of term arrangement

The last day of term is Thursday, 21st December 2023 and school will end for all students at 12.25pm, with the exception of students who have been advised that they will be detained.

Start of spring term arrangements

Years 7 – 11 will return to school for normal lessons on Monday, 8th January 2024 (week 2) and should arrive in school ready for registration at the usual time of 8.45am. Please ensure your child is in school on time with the correct uniform and equipment so that lessons can commence with the minimum of disruption.

On the first day of term a number of Year 11s will be participating in our A level taster day, details of which have already been communicated.

Sixth Form: all Year 12 & 13 students will have study leave on Monday, 8th January 2024 and will return to school on Tuesday, 9th January 2024.

Key Stage 5 Exams

Y13 will have PPE exams in the new year. Details regarding this timetable will be posted on TEAMS.



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Once again, I would like to thank you for your continued help and support. I hope you and your family have an enjoyable and restful break. I look forward to seeing your children refreshed and ready to learn in January.

Yours faithfully,

Ms R Walsh
Headteacher



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