



CHARTERS

— SCHOOL —

July 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

YEAR 8 INFORMATION FOR SEPTEMBER 2021

We are finally there in what has been one of the most challenging academic years for everyone in our school community despite this it has been a real pleasure to work with Year 8 in person and online and watch them thrive and grow in and out of the classroom. I also want to take this opportunity to thank you for your support during the year.

I am writing in advance of September to outline some changes which will affect the year group.

Examinations

In the week beginning 11 October there will be examination assessments in English, Mathematics and Science for all Year 9 students. We feel that it is important to have a set of examination assessments early in the new academic year as the year group have not sat any formal examinations in their time at Charters.

Homework

We are raising the expectations regarding homework and from September that students will be set homework in most subjects. Please see details below for Year 9:

Core - English/Maths/Science	Homework set every week - 1 hour
MFL - French/Spanish	Homework set once every fortnight - 1 hour
Geography/History	Homework set once every three weeks - 1 hour
All other subjects	Homework set once every four weeks - 1 hour

Tutor Rooms

Students will have a different tutor room in September and I have written to all of Year 8 to tell them where to report to on Monday 5 September.

Looking forward, I am sure that the year group will immerse themselves in the enrichment activities that we plan to offer next year when we are, hopefully, back to normal. Finally, I wish you the very best for the summer and hope that the sun continues to shine and you stay safe and well.

Yours sincerely

Mark New
Head of Year 8

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