


# All Hallows Catholic High School



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## Newsletter – w/c 5th July

Dear Parents and Carers,

### Absent Pupils

May I remind parents and carers that they must call the school office to report the absence of their child on the first day of his or her absence and each day thereafter. Please use the automated facility you are directed to when you call on the school number.

### September reopening

In the absence of clear guidance from the Department for Education and Central Government, it has been difficult to plan for certain for our return in September. Earlier this week, we received the information we have been expecting and we are now formulating our plan for reopening on September 1st. Next week, I will write in detail to provide full details. I would like to remind parents and carers that Wednesday 1st and Thursday 2nd September will be Inset Days for staff, with pupils returning on Friday 3rd September. Please note that not all pupils will return on Friday 3rd as we will be operating a staggered start to enable testing to take place on site.

### Upcoming Events

Next week will see our year brought to a close, culminating in our early finish on Friday 16th July at 12.35 pm. Following such a challenging year we will be holding celebration assemblies to afford our pupils the chance to reflect on their achievements in the face of such adversity. In keeping with our strict stance on Covid protocols we will be setting out our sports hall in a safe and socially distanced manner to minimise the possibility of close contacts.

The weather defeated us this week, resulting in the cancellation of Sports Days. Happily, we have been able to reschedule for next week.

It will also be fantastic to be able to send a number of our pupils on retreat to Castlerigg next week. Our pupils have missed out on the benefits of so many extra-curricular opportunities during the past 16 months. We are now planning to re-establish a full programme of events and activities for the new term.

### School Menu

Please see attached document for next week's menu choices.

Yours sincerely

Mr C Horrocks

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'C. Horrocks'.

Headteacher