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Dear Parents/Carers,

As we near towards the end of the first week back I just wanted to say how proud we are of the students. They have started the term in a really positive way and so obviously pleased with being able to move around the site again. The staggered breaks and lunches are also working well to ensure students have the space and time to enjoy this part of the day. I have seen students working hard in lesson and demonstrating our CARE values and TALENT rules successfully - lots of Q points have been awarded.

As we have a number of new rules this year to ensure standards are being kept high, I have taken this opportunity to remind parents about a number of them which is noted below along with the Extra Curricular timetable. Please encourage your son/daughter to attend at least one - it is so nice we are able to do this more freely again.

Uniform

Please ensure your child follows ALL the school uniform rules. Sanctions will begin next week for any students not following the Queensbury rules. A full list is attached.

We have also attached a copy of the school PE requirements. PE kits are no longer worn to school and should be brought in each day for their timetabled lessons. These lists can be found on our website. Please label uniform so it can be reunited with its owner if lost.

Parking

You are politely reminded not to park in front of the school, at either entrance, when collecting or dropping off your children. This is causing a lot of congestion outside school and making it dangerous for staff and pupils arriving or leaving the premises. There are designated drop off points in East car park or in adjoining roads where the children can walk to school a short distance. We appreciate your co-operation in this matter.

Attendance

Reporting absence and appointments must be done by calling 01582601241 option or via Edulink. All other email addresses may not be checked in time. Absence must be reported daily by 9am. If your child is leaving school for an appointment, it must be supported by medical evidence or an appointment card. This will need to be uploaded to Edulink. The pupil must be collected and signed out by a parent, or we will need to be informed where they are being collected or if they have permission to walk.

If you cannot access your Edulink please email nibrown@queensbury.anthemtrust.uk for a password reset.



Covid

Please continue to test your children at home twice weekly. This will help us to ensure all staff and pupils are kept as safe as possible. Results are to be logged via our website. Please see Government website for updated covid regulations. If you have been in contact with someone who has tested positive, and you are double jabbed or under 18, you should take a PCR test but are no longer required to isolate. You must isolate for 10 days if you test positive for Covid 19. This is classed as sickness and work online will not be provided for those children with covid.

Enrichment programme

Please see attached the full list of enrichment clubs. This can also be found on our website, under extra curricular activities.

We wish you a restful weekend and look forward to welcoming your children back on Monday for their second full week.

Kind regards
Mr Little
Principal

