

Friday, 5th April, 2019

Dear Parent / Carer

We have reached the end of another busy term at Paulet. As always, the overwhelming majority of our students have followed the 'Paulet Way' in everything they've done. I am really pleased with the way our new Year 7 and Year 12 students have continued to establish themselves as hard working and committed members of our school community. As you know, term ends at 2.50pm this Friday, the 12th and the last day of term will be our annual non-uniform day in aid of St. Giles Hospice. Students wishing to take part should bring £1.

The school reopens to all students at **8.30am on Monday, 29th April**. Please remember that Friday 3rd May is our fourth training day of the year and the school will be closed to most students (there will be English and maths sessions for selected Year 11 students). We will reopen after the May bank holiday, at 8.30am on Tuesday 7th May.

Sleep



I would like to take this opportunity to remind all parents about the school's campaign to ensure all of our students get the right amount of good quality sleep to enable them to function and learn at school. Sadly, many of our students still come to school exhausted from using their mobile devices and / or games consoles long into the night. Please support us, and your child, by ensuring electronic devices are kept 'out of sight; out of mind' during the night.

Easter supervised study

A reminder to the parents of year 11 and 13 students – we are open for six days over the Easter holiday for supervised study. The students have already told us which days they intend to come in; please reinforce this with your child and ensure they attend with a 'study' head on and all of the resources they need to make the time effective. All departments have issued excellent study resources for students' use in the run up to exams.



The House Cup



The competition to win this year's house cup is getting exciting now we get towards the summer term. Currently Lancaster is in the lead with Vulcan, Spitfire and Meteor following close behind in that order. There are plenty of opportunities to close the gap so everyone needs to keep working hard.

So far, we have raised £2,759.66 for charity – well on our way to beating last year's amazing total of £5,075.51

Thank you for your ongoing support of our school and I hope you all have a restful holiday. I am looking forward to seeing all of our students back at 8.30am on Monday, 29th April.

Yours sincerely,

Ian McArthur - Headteacher