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Dear Parents / Carers,

As we move towards the end of term, we wanted to share some information with you about arrangements for the final week. The information contained in this letter will help you and your children to plan for next week.

College Week

As is always the case at this time of year, we plan college week to enable students to experience different activities, usually around a main theme. The theme this year is 'Olympics'. Historically, this week has always been a memorable one that is enjoyed by students and staff at the school.

All tutor groups have been allocated a country and have been learning about their country this week in preparation for college week activities.

Below is a summary of the final week of term:

Monday 15th July – normal school day (TG rewards day for selected students)

On this day, students will attend normal lessons unless they have been invited, as one of the top merit achievers in their year group, to attend TG rewards day. If they are involved in this, they have been told about the arrangements for this day already.

Tuesday 16th July and Thursday 18th July – college week activities

On these days, students will spend the day with their tutor group and will rotate around exciting activities run by college teams.

Wednesday 17th July – Sports Day

All students in Years 7-10 are involved in sports day and are expected to attend and participate in the activities on site at the Academy and off- site at Tudor Grange Leisure Centre (Norman Green athletics track).

Students should arrive at the Academy and register with their RSHE tutor in their normal RSHE tutor room. All years will be at school for the lunch period and all catering venues will be open. The Willow restaurant will be open in the morning before school for students to purchase any snacks and drinks required for the day.

In the event of extreme weather on this day, students will follow their normal school timetable and should bring their usual books and equipment. An email will be sent out before 8:00am advising if this is the case.

Friday 19th July – Early finish

On this day, students will be involved in a closing ceremony for the college week activities, followed by extended form time, assembly and an early finish at 12 noon. On this day there will also be an assembly for our 'zero heroes' – the students who have received zero behaviour points all year – an amazing achievement!





As the students are taking part in practical and sports activities during the week, they will not be required to wear uniform on some of the days – more information below. On PE kit days, students should wear their full TGAS PE kit along with their blazer (to keep their planner and smart card in). Other sports wear (including non-regulation hoodies) will not be permitted.

We also advise all students to be prepared for different weather conditions during the week, bringing water, sun cream and a waterproof jacket (especially for sports day).

Day	Uniform requirements	Equipment
Mon 15 th July	Full uniform for most students.	All equipment and books, planner and smart card
Tues 16 th July	TGAS PE kit and blazer	Stationary (including colouring pencils / pens and glue stick), planner and smart card Water Waterproof Suncream
Weds 17 th July	TGAS PE kit and blazer* Coloured accessories in college colour are permitted (ribbons, face paint etc..)	Basic stationary, planner and smart card Water Waterproof Suncream
Thurs 18 th July	TGAS PE kit and blazer	Stationary (including colouring pencils / pens and glue stick), planner and smart card Water Waterproof Suncream
Fri 19 th July	Full uniform for all students	Basic stationary, planner and smart card

Parents and carers should be reminded that students need to bring their own inhaler and EpiPen next week (especially for sports day) if their medical record indicates that they need one. The students will be moving on and off site on this day and need to have one with them in case of an emergency.

Catering facilities will be open as normal next week, with the exception of Friday lunchtime. If your child is entitled to free school meals and you would like them to be given a packed lunch on the last day, please notify the office by emailing office@solihull.tgacademy.org.uk by 12noon on Wednesday 17th July. The catering team have planned some different food for the final week, including the traditional college week BBQ which students always love – please make sure they have sufficient funds on their lunch account if they want to purchase food during the week.

Good luck England!

I know that many of our students have been following the England football team and will be excited to watch them in the final this weekend. We hope that this is a memorable event (for all the right reasons!) for your families.

School will start at normal time on Monday morning, and we would be grateful for your support to ensure that students are in their tutor room by 8.35am.

I plan to write to you again next week with more information about the end of term and the start of the new academic year. Thank you, as always, for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs C Smith
Principal

