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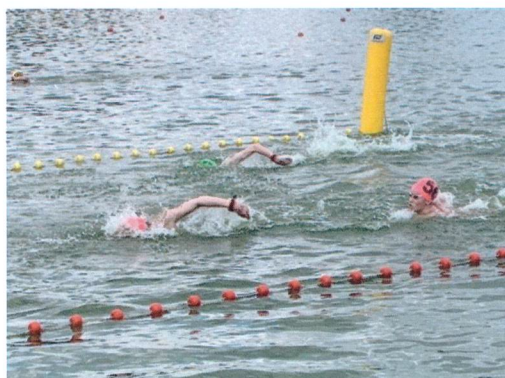
Dear Parent/Guardian

Students have now settled in to their new timetables as we begin life as Year 9. Options subject inductions have been completed and we will have now had two full two-week cycles of study equating to 10 lessons. Students should now know whether their chosen subject suits them, and if they are unhappy have a small window of opportunity to change to a different subject. If this is the case, please ask them to liaise with their Tutor.

Towards the end of the summer break, please ensure your child is ready for September with the correct uniform, no nose piercings, no false nails or nail polish and is well equipped in terms of stationery so that they get the best possible start to the 2019/2020 academic year. I look forward to seeing all Year 9 students back in school on Wednesday 4th September.

Note that the school day will be changing slightly – we will start at 08:30 and finish at 15:10. This includes a reduction in afternoon registration time and lunch.

Congratulations to Isaac Banham who competed in the 3km Open Water Swim in the Midlands Championships. Isaac came 6th overall in the Midlands, 4th in East Midlands and 1st in Lincolnshire – fantastic effort!



Well done to all students involved in our annual Sports Day. It was yet again a fantastic event and students were well behaved. The competitive nature of our year group is delightful to witness.

I hope you all have a fantastic summer break and that all students return energised and ready to continue with their Key Stage 4 studies!

Kind Regards

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