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Dear Parents and Carers

### **Term 6 Arrangements**

Welcome back to the final term of the 2020-21 school year. Today, I am writing to inform you about some adjustments to our Term 6 programme of study and dates to support our transition towards full all-through status in September.

### **Friday 25 June**

We will be holding an **additional INSET day on 25 June 2021**. The purpose of this INSET day is to launch the new teaching and operational systems for our all-through academy in September 2021 and to train all staff, including new appointments, so that they are prepared to welcome your child into either the Lower, Middle or Upper School in September.

**Home Learning:** To ensure that children can continue to learn throughout the school day, **all children will receive, via See Saw (Reception – Year 5)/Insight (Year 7 - 11), an online, remote learning package to complete**. The work that your child will be set will follow their current timetable and curriculum programme. If your child does not have access to ICT equipment at home, we will provide a paper-based copy of the home learning on Thursday 24 June.

**Child Care:** We understand that for some parents in the Acorn it might be difficult to secure alternative childcare arrangements for the day. With this in mind, Teddy Bears have kindly agreed to offer on-site childcare provision throughout June 25 (cost £20.50) should parents require this support. If you would like to book a space for your child, please email: [teddybearschildcare@virginmedia.com](mailto:teddybearschildcare@virginmedia.com) or call 07760237663.

**Free School Meals:** This is an additional INSET day therefore for children that receive free school meals, we will provide an additional packed lunch that children will be able to take home at the end of the day on Thursday 24 June. A separate lunch form will be sent to parents so you can select your child's packed lunch. Unfortunately we are not able to issue a voucher for the day.

### **Monday 28 June – Thursday 1 July**

To bring the all-through vision to life for our students, will be holding a 'Big Step into All-Through' week. Throughout this week, there will be a variety of enrichment and joy filled learning activities for students to participate in. This will include motivational talks, arts/performing arts themed activities, inter-tutor and team building events, and parent meet the tutor sessions.

Our annual Year 6 transition week, where we welcome our new Year 7 students into our academy, will also take place during this time. Partner primary schools will be communicated with separately to confirm the transition day[s] arrangements.

A detailed programme of events and letter will be sent to parents in the next fortnight so that children know what events are taking place for them and any specific clothing requirements.

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### **Friday 2 July**

This is the formal summer term CLF INSET/Conference day that was communicated to families via the website at the start of the 2020-21 academic year. Children are not expected to attend school on this day.

### **Monday 5 July – 20 July**

The normal school timetable will resume. There will be some further activities e.g. Sports Day/Celebration Assemblies which will take place during this time, and information about these events will be communicated to parents and children separately.

### **Wednesday 21 July - End of Term**

The final day of term for students is Wednesday 21 July. This will be a half day with staggered finish times for all year groups. The precise end of day finish times will be communicated to parents by Friday 9 July.

Thank you in advance for your support as we transition into our all-through academy. If you have any questions with regards to the Term 6 calendar dates and arrangements, please email: [koa.principal@clf.uk](mailto:koa.principal@clf.uk) or call 01179 927129 (Acorn) / 01179 927127 (Y7-11).

Kind regards,



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