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Dear Parent & Student

I hope you and your family have had a good summer and that you are looking forward to returning to school. It will be great to have a return to school without any Covid restrictions and a full return to all co-curricular and extra-curricular activities.

We have completed the refurbishment of the Transition Year corridor and have upgraded the Computer Room with a view to introducing Computer Science as a Leaving Certificate subject in 2023. In the meantime we will have our first group of students starting Leaving Certificate Physical Education in September. We will have an information sessions with students on 1st September about our new lunch service for students and staff, with a start date of 5th September.

A reminder to students that all are required to wear full school uniform and follow all uniform guidelines on returning to school. There was a relaxation of regulations during the period of Covid restrictions but these have now come to an end. We will discuss and highlight to students guidelines regarding makeup, jewellery, piercings, nails and footwear. Breaches of uniform regulations will be followed up with students and parents.

Return to School dates:

Thursday 25th August 3rd years only return: 9.30am – 11.00am

6th years only return: 11.00am – 1.00m

Friday 26th August 2nd years only return: 9.30am – 11.00am

5th years only return: 11.00am - 1.00pm

Monday 29th August 1st years only 9.00 – 1.00pm

Student induction programme for 1st years who should bring pen, paper and something to eat for break. Textbooks for Irish, English, Mathematics and Religious Education will be issued and students

can purchase school journal and hoodie. (see attached)

Tuesday 30th August 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 5th & 6th years only: 8.45am – 3.00m

Thursday 1st September Transition Year Students: 1.30 – 3.30pm

Other students: from 8.45am

Wishing you all the best for the new academic year

Deirdre Gogant

Principal