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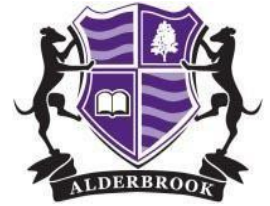
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Dear Parents/Carers

12 July 2024

I will write to you again next week with details of the arrangements for our students returning to school following the summer break. There will also be a link to our end of year celebration newsletter which will showcase all the amazing activities and opportunities we have been able to offer our students and I hope you enjoy reading this. Today's letter is to outline the arrangements for our last day of term which will be **Friday 19 July 2024**.

The students will be in full school uniform as usual and for lessons 1-3 they will go to their normal lessons. At the end of period 3 (12.20 pm), all students will return to their Form rooms for registration. They will then be released by their Form Tutors at 12.30 pm to make their way home as usual. All the buses that are provided on the school site and Dingle Lane are available for this earlier collection time – namely; 821, 822, 823, 894, 895 and 896.

If your child is in receipt of free school meals we can offer a sandwich for collection at break time or at 12.30 pm from Cartwright Hall. If your child is eligible for this service, please complete the MS form [here](#) by Wednesday 17 July.

Revision guides/GCSE texts – a plea!

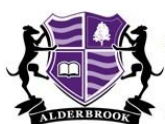
If you have any revision guides or GCSE textbooks that are no longer needed, we would be very grateful if you could donate them for our school library. These will help to stock our revision area in the library and be a really valuable resource to our current students. Donations either before the end of term or the first couple of weeks of September will be gratefully received. There will be a box in the foyer of our former reception area marked up clearly and if you could ask your child to bring them in and drop them there that would be much appreciated.

Summer activities 2024 – please find below a number of activities on offer for the summer holidays:

A message from Solihull Council on Summer camps and clubs:

With a week to go until this year's school summer holidays, please visit Solihull Council's [Family Information Directory](#) for information on:

- *summer camps and clubs*
- *Ofsted-registered holiday childcare*
- *library activities*



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- *creative arts and theatre events*
- *days out*
- *activities and events for families*
- *free HAF activities for children on benefits-related free school meals*
- *free family activities and events*

We will be adding further activities throughout the summer so please do regularly revisit the directory for all the latest updates.

Don't forget! If you require information or advice relating to childcare, activities or support services, early education funded places or free school meals, please visit www.solihull.gov.uk/familyinfo.

Family Information Service

0800 389 8667

familyinfo@solihull.gov.uk

If you have any questions or want more information, please contact

Rosie Ratcliffe familyinfo@solihull.gov.uk.

Summer physical activity offer for children and families

So Go is a local physical activity campaign to inspire and support people to move more and be more physically active. This summer we want to encourage as many people to be as active as possible so, to help, we are launching a free summer activity programme.

- **[SO GO! Get active this summer \[link\]](#)**

If you have any questions or want more information, please contact

Elizabeth Knowles elizabeth.knowles@solihull.gov.uk or **07501 307 526**.

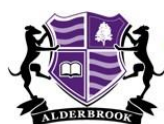
HAF Summer camp flyer leaflet – [here](#).

The HAF Summer activity camp will be run at Solihull College and University, Blossomfield Road over several dates in August. Please see the flyer for more details. There will be free places for children who receive benefit related free school meals and paid places are also available.

Best wishes



Tom Beveridge
Headteacher



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