



MAGHULL HIGH SCHOOL

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Thursday 20 August

Dear Parents and Carers,

Looking forward to the new year

We are looking forward to school reopening to students from Wednesday, 2 September. Before your child returns to school, it is essential that you go through the parent and student guidance booklets, as well as the other supporting documents including our full risk assessment and safe travel guide. All of these resources can be found on our school website at www.maghullhigh.com. Please click on the copy of this letter which you will find there to access the other resources.

To assist with our planning for wider school opening, if you believe your child falls into one of the following categories: clinically extremely vulnerable; clinically vulnerable; BAME, then we will prepare an individual risk assessment for them. Please contact the school with details on school@maghullhigh.com.

As you can see from the guidance, our students will be following their full timetable from the start of term and teachers are looking forward to working with them to consolidate what they have been learning at home and accelerate their progress. High expectations of behaviour and attitude to learning will remain a priority, as we help our students to reestablish routines and settle back into school life. There are no changes to uniform for the new academic year; a reminder of our uniform expectations and school standards is included with the other documentation on our website.

If you have not had the opportunity to activate ParentPay yet, you will need to do that before your child joins us and ensure that they have credit for their first day. Any child eligible for free school meals will have credit available.

The start of the new academic year is as follows:

Tuesday, 1 September: Staff training day

Wednesday, 2 September: Return of Year 7 and 12 students only

Thursday, 3 September: return of all other students

On the first day, if you are bringing your child to school, they should enter through the Gainsborough Avenue gate, where they will be greeted by staff who will direct them from there. If you are dropping them off in a car, please do so at some distance away from the school to facilitate social distancing and avoid congestion with the buses.

If there are any changes to Covid-19 guidance before our return, we will update you via our website and Twitter. If you do not already follow our Twitter account, you can find us on @MaghullHighsch.

We look forward to welcoming your child to the Maghull High School community very soon.

Yours sincerely,

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