

20 December 2022

Dear Families,

I hope this letter finds you and your families well. I have a couple of updates and some news items to go through with you all for clarity and communication.

Equipment and Uniform Shop

The equipment and uniform shop is open from 8am to 8:15. All items are available for purchase or loan. Please contact us if you need support with anything.

Free Breakfast 8am in the Bistro

Bagels, cereal and toast are available for free at 8am every morning

Telephone Lines into the Academy

We have finally found a solution to our problem with the phone lines into the Academy. This week will see the introduction of a new system with split numbers for Main Reception, Safeguarding and Attendance and the facility to leave a message. Thank you for your patience with this. I know how frustrating it is trying to get through to main reception sometimes.

Important Dates for your diary

- **Wednesday 4 January - Return to school - 8am opening**
- **Thursday 5 January 2023 - Y11 Parents Evening. 5- 7pm**

All Y11 students will be given an appointment sheet on Wednesday 7 December to book times. If you cannot attend, please contact fgee@dixonsba.com or Y11 Head of Year, lwilson2@dixonsba.com

MCAS App Reminder

- **Please ensure that we have an up to date copy of your email address and that you have downloaded the app My Child At School. All correspondence is now done via the app**

Changes to Uniform on PE Days

Because essential learning time is being lost while students are changing, we have taken the decision to allow students to come to school in their PE Kit on the day(s) that they have PE. They must wear the following:

- **Full grey DBA PE Kit**
- **Black base layers when it is cold underneath the PE Kit or branded DBA leggings, jogging bottoms and/or top (available in the uniform shops)**
- **Blazer**

If they do not have a grey DBA PE kit, they must come to school in full uniform and shoes as normal. Time will be allocated for them to change on the day.

Christmas Showcase

A huge thank you to all of our students who took part in our Christmas showcase, we have a lot of talent in school. Thank you to the families who supported us by attending the sell-out event.

Staff Goodbyes

We would like to thank Mrs P Jones for her long service to the Broadgreen community and wish her the best of luck as she starts a new opportunity in another setting. Also, thank you to Mrs D Hardman, Miss S Donahoe and Mrs L McGee for all their hard work and commitment to our students. We wish you well.

Thank you for all your support this term.

Have a fantastic festive period

Yours faithfully,



Mrs R Fidler

Principal

Dixons Academies Trust

