



Abbot Beyne School

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Dear Parents and Carers

As you are no doubt aware we seem to have just had a much longer term than most of the rest of the country. Thank you for your support during this last term, our job becomes much easier when we know families are working with us.

Last week I sent out the parents and carers survey, if you have not had time and would like to complete it, please find the link [here](#).

A reminder that when we return after Easter students will no longer be wearing their black jumpers.

Can I take this opportunity to say thank you to Mr Wix and Ms Saagar who are leaving us today. Thank you so much for everything you have done, we really appreciate it.

Next term we are going to do some joint work with the local authority regarding improving the attendance of students at our school. As you know, good attendance (above 95%) is key to academic success and we will be launching a new programme to further improve the attendance of students at the school.

Finally, as a parent who has a child currently revising for her A levels, I fully understand how difficult it is to try and motivate students to revise and work, especially during the holidays. However, as I keep saying to Alice, I am afraid you have to but you can be rewarded with the best and longest holiday ever after you have finished. Year 11 and Year 13 students should be working throughout their school holiday as they prepare for their exams which start when they return after Easter. I would advise a structured revision timetable (we have completed these in school) with breaks and small rewards as the best way to get through this difficult period.

We look forward to seeing students return to us on Monday 28th April at the usual time.

Happy Easter

Mr Jamie Tickle