

18 June 2018

Dear Parents & Carers

We have now received confirmation from Transport for London that they are able to adjust the times of our school buses in line with the proposed changes to the start/finish times to the school day.

As previously communicated, the consultation generated 21 responses of concern from parents/carers, the majority of which related to school buses, or the lunch arrangements. Having received overwhelming support to the proposal I can now officially confirm that the proposal to change timings of the school week will be implemented from 1st September.

The new school day timings are set out in the table below. Well Being/Assembly time is extended to 30 minutes; lessons will be 50 minutes in length, mostly delivered in double periods; lunchtime has been extended to 60 minutes; and there will be an earlier finish every Wednesday when school ends at 2pm.

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday			Wednesday		
Wellbeing/Assembly	08:30	30	P1	08:30	50
P1	09:00	50	P2	09:20	50
P2	09:50	50	Break	10:10	20
Break	10:40	20	P3	10:30	50
P3	11:00	50	P4	11:20	50
P4	11:50	50	Lunch	12:10	60
Lunch	12:40	60	P5	13:10	50
P5	13:40	50	Dismissal	14:00	
P6	14:30	50	Staff CPD		
Dismissal Intervention/Enrichment	15:20				

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Lunchtime Arrangements in September

Food service stations will be re-organised within the restaurant and additional cold food service areas will be installed around the Academy campus, including a Cucina 'Street Food' Kitchen in the quad. Two new outdoor seating areas will also be available.

Our experience from this year tells us (and the Cucina restaurant manager has given assurances) that there will be more than enough time to serve all students who wish to eat a hot meal and queue management will be administered by an increased number of duty staff in the normal way.

Additional outdoor and indoor areas will be available for student use including the astroturf and we will be running an increased amount of enrichment clubs. During inclement weather, indoor areas will be opened for students to socialise and enjoy their break times.

From Monday 25 June 2018 we will be implementing the one lunch break system. All students will have their lunch from 11:50 until 12:50. They will then have their usual timetabled lesson for Periods 4 and 5 with the end of the day at the usual time of 14.50.

School Buses

Transport for London have liaised with all garages serving the Academy and the school bus times will change accordingly. The new bus timetable, which we have confirmed with TfL, is set out below:

Potential - School days (except Wednesdays) (0830 to 1520)				
Route	From	To	Departure Time	Arrival Time
658	Woolwich	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	07:34	08:15
624	Grove Park	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	07:35	08:01
658	Woolwich	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	07:35	08:16
660	Bellingham	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	07:43	08:15
621	Lewisham	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	07:45	08:17
624	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	Grove Park	15:30	16:12
621	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	Lewisham	15:35	16:09
658	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	Woolwich	15:35	16:17
658	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	Woolwich	15:35	16:17
660	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	Bellingham	15:40	16:24
Potential - School days (Wednesdays) (0830 to 1400)				
Route	From	To	Departure Time	Arrival Time
658	Woolwich	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	07:34	08:15
624	Grove Park	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	07:35	08:01
658	Woolwich	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	07:35	08:16
660	Bellingham	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	07:43	08:15
621	Lewisham	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	07:45	08:17
624	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	Grove Park	14:10	14:52
621	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	Lewisham	14:15	14:49
658	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	Woolwich	14:15	14:57
658	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	Woolwich	14:15	14:57
660	Riefield Road (Crown Woods)	Bellingham	14:20	15:04

Now that the new times are confirmed, we are in the process of finalising the timetable for the next academic year. We look forward to the break and the autumn term, wish you all a wonderful summer, when it arrives, and thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



David Millar
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