



July 2021

Dear Parent/Carers

Final Plans for Summer School Monday 9th- Friday 13th August

This letter confirms that your child has been allocated a place for summer school. We are very excited to be welcoming our new year 7 cohort to our summer school and promise that we have a week of fun and friendship planned so that Orchard Park can feel like home before September.

Please note the following:

- The summer school day will run from **10.00am to 2.30pm** each day.
- Students can wear their own choice of clothing but this must be appropriate attire for physical activity.
- Students need to bring their own packed lunch (those in receipt of Free School Meals will have a packed lunch provided) and plenty of water.
- Most activities will take place outside so please ensure students have a sun hat/sun cream.

Covid 19 protocols

In line with our Risk Assessment, students will stay in their class group bubbles for all summer school sessions. In addition, all students will be asked to sanitise their hands on entry to every classroom and may wear masks if they wish. Activities have been planned outside for the majority of sessions.

Students must not attend summer school if they are experiencing any of the main symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) which are:

- a high temperature – this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- a new, continuous cough – this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste – this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal.

Should your child experience any of these symptoms having attended Summer School you must ensure that a PCR test is taken and the results of the test must be communicated via email to vongley@orchardparkhigh.net

Please could you ensure that you advise of any medical conditions/allergies that we need to be aware of in advance of the 9th August via email to vongley@orchardparkhigh.net

Yours faithfully,

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