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Principal Angela Reynolds

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#### **OCTOBER UPDATE LETTER 2016**

Dear Parents/carers

#### Progress reports:

All students have been given their progress report for the term. Please can all parents/carers please return the reply slip by Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2016. These reports now have a revised format. Please ensure you read the report information included in the report pack. Year 7 students will receive an academic report in Term 2.

### New School Report Structure and School Expansion:

We will be holding an Information Evening for the parents of all students to outline the new report structure and to also provide details on the school expansion. These will be held in the George Weston Theatre on the following dates and times:

Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 5.30pm – Year 8 and 9 Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 6.30pm – Year 10 and 11 Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November at 5.30pm – Year 7

### Year 11 Holiday Intervention Workshops:

We will be holding a number of workshops to support the Year 11 students who are preparing for the GCSE's next summer. A letter has been given to all Year 11 students with details and is also available on our website.

# **Data Information:**

Included in the information sent home with students you will find a data information sheet. These are essential for the school census and we do require 100% return on this. If there is any information on the sheet you do not wish to complete (i.e. religion, ethnicity etc), please indicate on the form. Please return all completed forms to school reception.

# Year 7 Activity Week:

Year 7 students have taken part in an activity week this week which included trips to the cinema, swimming, a Masterchef challenge and a trip to Rutland Water and will finish with a disco in school tonight. All students enjoyed the week as did the staff supporting with this.

### School breakfast and lunch

Please can you ensure that your child has sufficient funds on their card to pay for school meals for the beginning of the new school term. This is the responsibility of the parent/carer to ensure that regular payments are made through Wisepay.

### Swipe cards

All students were issued with a swipe card at the start of the year. The school will re-issue a card for free where it is faulty. However, if a student has lost their card or damaged it, they will need to pay £5 for a new card. Please see our web-site for the full code of conduct.

http://www.corbytechnicalschool.org/page/default.asp?pid=382

## **Training Days**

The following days will be training days and therefore school will be closed to students (these dates may be subject to change):

Monday  $31^{st}$  October 2016 (with the exception of students participating in ECDL) Monday  $9^{th}$  January 2017 Tuesday  $18^{th}$  April 2017

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all our parents for their support over the term and hope all of our students have an enjoyable break.

Yours sincerely,

Angela Reynolds

Principal