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Dear Parents and Carers

School Closure: Easter Break, Bank Holiday's in May and Teacher Training Days

Easter Break

I wish to confirm the arrangements for the end of this term and the beginning of next term. School finishes for all students at **3pm on Friday 31st March**, and reopens for students on **Monday 17th April**.

I wish everybody a good break over the two weeks, but can I please stress how important this time will be for many of our students. Year 11 and Post 16 students **must** use the time for lengthy revision – their GCSE and A-Level exams commence shortly. I cannot stress how important these exams are for their future opportunities. I am sure you will support and encourage them in using the time wisely, as well as ensuring they take appropriate breaks to maintain a healthy balance.

Bank Holidays

The school will close as normal for the May Day Bank Holiday on **Monday 1st May**. The Government has also confirmed an additional bank holiday in May to mark the Coronation of His Majesty King Charles III. This bank holiday will fall on **Monday 8th May**, following the Coronation on Saturday 6th May.

Teacher Training Days

On **Monday 26th June** and **Friday 7th July** the school will also be closed for students. These are the remaining two of the five days allocated each academic year for teacher training.

Yours sincerely



S Rooke
Acting Headteacher