

SPECIAL NEWSLETTER September, 2018

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Please be aware of the following events and changes to our schedule for the next few weeks.

 School examinations begin for students in Years 11 to 13, on Wednesday 12 September, and conclude on Friday 21 September (Mid week 8 and all of week 9).

Students are expected to attend these examinations, and all students have been provided with a personalised examination timetable, together with instructions. Please note that I have attached a copy of the entire examination time table as well as the instructions which have been issued to the students.

- Some students may not have qualified to have study leave for the duration of these
 examinations because they have not attained 75% of the credits they have been
 offered so far this year. Parents of these students have been notified.
- Examinations commence at 9.05am and 1.10pm.
- If your son or daughter is sick then you should contact the Student Centre as usual.
 Once well, they should see Mrs Spooner who will endeavour to re-schedule the missed examinations.
- For the duration of these examinations the daily time schedule is changing to the following:

Form time 8.45 - 9.00am 9.00 - 10.00am Period 1 Period 2 10.00 - 11.00am Interval 11.00 - 11.30am (30 minutes) 11.30 - 12.30pm Period 3 12.30 - 1.05pm (35 minutes) Interval 1.05 - 2.05pm Period 4 Period 5 2.05 - 3.05pm

Note well: Junior students will be released at 2.05pm each Friday as usual.

Normal school resumes for all students on Monday 24 September.

• Inter-school Moderation - Thursday 13 September.

Junior students will be **released at 12.30pm**, at the conclusion of period 3, so that staff can attend inter-school NCEA moderation sessions.

Buses will run on their normal schedule. The Library will be open till 4.30pm Note well that the Senior examinations continue as planned.

• The term concludes on Friday 28 September, and the starting date for Term 4 is Monday 15 October.

Yours sincerely

Elizabeth Spooner Associate Principal