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Dear Parent/Carer

I hope you and your family have had a restful and enjoyable summer break. As we prepare to welcome pupils back to Nendrum College, I wanted to provide you with some important information regarding the start of the new academic year.

We are looking forward to the year ahead and welcoming both new and returning pupils back to school.

Induction Programmes

Year 8 Induction

- Thursday 27 August, 8.45am to 1.00pm (break required)
- Friday 28 August, 8.45am to 1.00pm (break required)

Year 11 Induction

- Friday 28 August, 8.45am to 1.00pm (break required). Parents are invited to attend at 8.45am with their child for a short introduction to Key stage 4.

Year 12 Learning for Growth (LFG) Meetings

Thursday 27 August and Friday 28 August

Appointments can now be booked through SchoolCloud.

I would like to apologise to Year 12 parents for the delay in opening the booking system. Unfortunately, this was outside the College's control and was caused by difficulties we experienced with our SchoolCloud provider. We appreciate your patience and understanding while these issues were resolved and are pleased that appointments are now available to book.

School Transport

Please note that school bus services will not operate on Thursday 27 August or Friday 28 August during the induction and meeting days. Parents and carers should therefore make alternative arrangements for transport on these dates. A full school bus service will resume from Tuesday 1 September, when all pupils return to school.

August Bank Holiday

Monday 31 August - School closed.

Return to School

Tuesday 1 September - Whole School Returns (8.45am – 3.00pm)

We are excited to welcome all pupils back on this date and look forward to a successful and productive year together.

Thank you for your continued support of Nendrum College. If you have any queries regarding the arrangements outlined above, please do not hesitate to contact the College office.

Yours sincerely

A. Walker
Principal
Nendrum College