



OLD BUCKENHAM
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14th February 2019

Dear Parents and Carers

Term Dates

Following my earlier letter concerning a change to the term dates for the academic year 2019-2020 we have decided that the following changes will take place. The Spring term 2020 will end on the 3rd April as opposed to the 1st April and the Summer term 2020 will end on the 17th July as opposed to the 21st July. After consulting with parents and staff, the vast majority are in support of the changes.

Autumn Term

4th September – 18th December 2019

2nd & 3rd September 2019

21st – 25th October 2019

19th December 2019 – 3rd January 2020

Staff inset days, *School closed to students*

Half term

Christmas holiday

Spring Term

6th January – 3rd April 2020

2nd & 3rd January 2020

17th -21st February 2020

Staff inset day, *School closed to students*

Half term

Summer Term

20th April – 17th July 2020

4th May 2020

25th – 29th May 2020

Bank Holiday, *School closed*

Half term

School Day

After half term we are making adjustments to the timings of our school day, however this will not affect the start or finish times. We are moving tutor time and assemblies to the start of the day to ensure this time is used effectively. We will evaluate the impact of the change in timings and will inform parents if this change is to be permanent. Lunchtime and tutor time extra-curricular activities will continue.

80th Celebrations

As you may know, we are in the 80th year of OBHS and will be marking this anniversary with a garden Party to be held on the 7th July 2019. We are hoping as many people who attended, worked or have an association with our school will be able to come and help us mark this important milestone. More details will follow, but do please reserve the date and let friends and family know.

Yours sincerely

Mr A Fell
Headteacher



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