

Ref: GWI/SAH/INSET

18th June, 2019

Dear Parent / Carer,

It is critical that we spend time developing staff members' practices, to ensure the best possible education for our students. Throughout the year, we schedule a series of events that achieve this.

As such, I am writing to advise you of a planned INSET day on Friday 21st June, 2019. Students will, therefore, not be required to attend the Academy on this day.

We look forward to welcoming back students at 8:27am on Monday 24th June, 2019.

We understand it may be difficult for some families to make alternative child care arrangements; therefore, please contact the Academy if your son(s) / daughter(s) will need to attend the Academy on this day and we will make suitable arrangements to support you.

Over the next few weeks, students in all year groups are taking end of year assessments, which will establish their academic progress and also identify gaps in knowledge that will be closed before the summer and at the beginning of the next academic year. Therefore, students will have work to complete on Friday as part of their learning revision – whether it is using exercise books; revision guides or online (via Show My Homework, Tassomai or GCSEPod).

Can I take this opportunity to also share with you the date of your son(s) / daughter's(s') return after the summer break. **We will welcome all students to JQA on Wednesday, 4th September, 2019.**

As always, thank you for your ongoing support. Please get in touch if you have any questions / queries that you would like answered – we are always here to help.

We will write to you again before the summer. As always, we are intent on raising standards of education further at JQA, so that excellence is the norm. We have brought in some of the best teachers in the U.K. to join the staff team and we will be sharing more details of this with you and your son(s) / daughter(s) very soon.



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