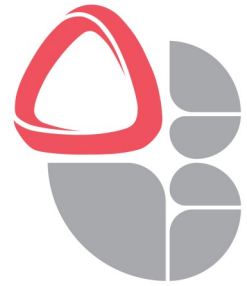


THE BULWELL BULLETIN



PARENT UPDATE : JUNE 2018

Preparing for a new day

Thank you to those parents and families who attended our Meet the CET event in early June. The event demonstrated how committed the CET are to support the Academy and we were delighted to meet our new Principal, Mrs Strong.

The CET have a reputation for delivering outstanding results and to bring these rapid improvements to the Academy we need to make some adjustments to bring us into alignment with our new partner schools.

Many of the changes will not be noticeable but one key, and important, change is to the Academy day. The new timings are given in the right hand column.

Of course, we will continue to offer a range of enrichment activities after school to include sports, subjects classes and catch-up clubs. A full timetable of after-school activities will be published in September.

Collecting new Blazers

We have new blazers for students which should be worn from the start of term in September. New PE tops are available from Just Schoolwear although the old style will continue to be acceptable until worn out or outgrown. Full details are on our website.

We are asking parents to come to school to sign for, and collect, the blazers on either **Friday 13 July** or **Monday 16 July**—any time between **3.30pm and 6pm**. Due to the value of the blazers, parents must sign for them personally and students are not authorised to do so on their behalf.

Parents of Year 6 students who are due to join us in September will be able to collect their blazers at Transition Evening on 4 July. Details about this event have been sent separately.

THE NEW DAY

8.25am	Students move to classrooms
8.30 am	Registers taken Period 1 starts (break in P1)
10 am	Period 2
11.15 am	Tutor time
11.45 am	Period 3 and lunch (time depending on year group)
1.30 pm	Period 4
2.45pm	Home time

Monday to Friday

Name it or lose it!

We have noticed that students are losing ties, jackets and other uniform at an alarming rate.



Please can you ensure that your child's uniform and belongings are fully named so that it can be returned



#BLAZERS4AFRICA

If you would like to donate your child's old blazer to provide a uniform to a school in Ghana, please could you ensure it is handed in on the last day of term.

Children will need to wear their blazers throughout the term and take care to look after them. We, the Academy, are donating

all our old books and educational equipment as well as spare blazers and clothing belonging to our children/family members. **Any clothing or educational donations will be very gratefully received and make a real difference to young people who have nothing.**

Giving dangerous cycling the Red Card

As a parent, you will know that it is vitally important that children use their bicycles carefully, with the safety of themselves and others in mind.

Clearly, it's a great pride for any parent to teach their child to ride a bike. You will have taught them to ride safely and sensibly—the problem is that some students are not thinking about the safety of others when travelling to school or around the school site.

We expect students to cycle to school safely and sensibly. We would like to see more students wearing bike helmets.

Once on the school site, we require that students get off their bikes and push them to the bicycle store or racks. They have also had a special tutor lesson to discuss bike safety.

We also ask that every student brings a secure lock to make sure that the bike is safely stored away during the day.



Red cards (as explained to students)

1st card: warning & negative ClassCharts

2nd card: letter home

3rd card: temporary bike ban

4th card: bike ban



The riding of bikes on the Academy site is **NOT** allowed



RED CARD

You have been given a warning for:
Dangerous Cycling