



St. Ninian's HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Guardian

As you have already been informed, the timings of the school day are going to change this coming September along with the associated changes to the curriculum timetable. You may be aware that we would usually look to roll the current year's school timetable up at the end of June and commence next year's timetable for the last few weeks of the year. Primarily this allows our Year 9 students to transfer to the Upper School early and commence their Year 10 timetable to assist in their transition to the Upper School site.

Although we would have liked to have done so again this year, due to the significant differences in next year's timetable, which are designed around the new timings of the school day that do not take effect until September. We are not able to accommodate the early roll up for this Summer term. This means that all students will follow their current timetable to the end of the Summer term, as is done in all other secondary schools on the island.

Whilst this means that our Year 9 students will not be able to transition to the Upper School during this term, we will still be organising a transition day on Thursday 4th July. This will allow all of our year 9 students to spend a day at our Upper School site, which will be helpful for when they do make the full transition in September. More information will be sent out about the arrangements for this in due course.

Thank you again for your cooperation and support in this matter.

Yours faithfully

Mr C J Coole PGCE, NPQH
Head Teacher

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