



Maximising our Potential

16th December 2025

Dear Parents/Carers

As we approach the end of the first term of the academic year, may I take the opportunity to thank you for ensuring that your child continues to attend school wearing their full school uniform each day. In preparation for the return in January, I would like to reinforce our high expectations linked to uniform.

As part of our uniform expectations, makeup, false nails, false eyelashes and piercings are not allowed in school. If your child wears piercings, false eyelashes or acrylic nails over the Christmas holidays, these must be removed before your child returns on Tuesday 6th January 2026. We want to welcome students back in January ready to learn and we would appreciate your support in ensuring that your child returns with the above high expectations to avoid a negative start to the new term.

In addition to this, students must bring a school bag large enough to carry their homework folder, planner and knowledge organisers. Students must keep the same planner they were given in September and bring it to school on their first day back in January. After all, we do not want to forget about the fabulous rewards stickers they have earned! Students will be given new knowledge organisers for Spring Term. They need to keep these as well as the ones from September as they work on building up their knowledge over the school year. These will also help them when they come to prepare for their summer assessments.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school via email on admin@kirkbyhighschool.net or visit our school website for further information on our school uniform expectations.

Yours faithfully

Mrs M Turner
Deputy Headteacher

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Resilience

Kindness

Respect

Aspiration

Confidence



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Key dates up to Easter 2026

Friday 19 th December	Students finish for Christmas holidays 12.15pm
Monday 22 nd December to Friday 2 nd January	Christmas holidays
Monday 5 th January	Staff Training (school closed)
Tuesday 6 th January	Students return to school 8.40am
Thursday 15 th January	Year 11 Progress and Aspiration Evening 4.00-6.30pm
Thursday 22 nd January	Year 9 Progress, Aspirations & Options Evening 4.00-6.30pm
Wednesday 4 th February	Year 7 parents' G&T Evening 5.30-6.15
Friday 13 th February	School finishes for half term
Monday 16 th February to Friday 20 th February	Half Term break
Monday 23 rd February	Students return to school 8.40am
Thursday 12 th March	Year 8 Progress and Aspiration Evening 4.00-6.30pm
Thursday 19 th March	Year 6 Information Evening 5.00-6.00pm
Thursday 26 th March	SEND Celebration Evening, 6.00-8.00pm
Friday 27 th March	Students finish for Easter holidays
Monday 30 th March to Friday 10 th April	Easter holidays