

We are now approaching the end of an extremely unusual and challenging school year. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our pupils, students and parents/carers for your patience, consideration and understanding as we have tried to navigate the uncertain and constantly changing educational environment in a Covid-19 affected year.

Pupils/ students had to adapt quickly to learning at home during the "lockdowns" which required them to be resilient, organised and develop themselves as independent learners. These are skills which will not be lost and can be built on as we move into a new and hopefully more stable school year.

As you might be acquiring new items of school uniform over the summer break, we would ask that all items comply with our uniform requirements. Please note that leggings or jeans are not part of the school uniform and therefore must not be worn. All pupils will need to have a school jumper and tie which are compulsory and integral elements of the uniform. Footwear must be black with no other colours or logos visible. Jewellery is restricted to a watch and one stud earring in each ear. We thank you for your cooperation in this matter as we start the new school year in September.

All that remains is for us to wish all members of our school community a relaxing and enjoyable summer holiday. We hope to welcome all our pupils/ students back to school safe and sound in September. Years 7 and 12 will start on Monday 6 September, to be joined by all other year groups on Tuesday 7 September 2021. This will be Week 1 on the school timetable.

Best wishes,

Cowbridge Comprehensive School Senior Leadership Team