



End-of-Year Newsletter, Summer 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

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Alhumdulillah, as we complete our academic year 2018/19 on Friday, we also complete 25 years since our establishment in 1994. We thank Allah (SWT) for His infinite blessings and continue to beseech His divine assistance for the future. We also take this opportunity to thank the community for its continuous support. Key events of the year are available on the school website. <http://secondary.al-ashraf.org.uk/>

End-of-Term & Key Dates for Term 1 Academic Year 2019/20

School will break up on **Friday 28th June at 12pm**. Pupils are to go home for lunch and return for prize-giving Jalsa at 2pm. Prize-giving Jalsa will take place in the afternoon (**Friday 28th) from 2:15pm - 3:15pm**.

Enrichment Week - Regrettably Young Gloucestershire has been unable to deliver on its promise of a residential program for our pupils. Therefore, due to the short notice we will not be holding activities this year. A trip to Drayton Manor Park has been arranged for Tuesday 2nd July. (IA)

New Academic Year 2018/19

Our new academic year will commence (IA) from **Tuesday 3rd September at the normal time of 8:40am I A**.

The school terms & holiday calendar is available on the school website.

http://secondary.al-ashraf.org.uk/docs/TermDates_18-19.pdf

End-of-Year Reports

Reports will be given out to all pupils on Friday. Please take out time to study your daughter's report carefully as it gives important details of pupils' attainment and effort in secular & Islamiat subjects as well as end-of-year exam results. The report also contains comments written by subject teachers. Please go through them with your daughter as they offer valuable suggestions on how she can improve next year.

Staff Changes

Mrs Sandall is stepping down and will be replaced by Ms Norman. Mrs Sandall has been with us since 2002 and we thank her for the dedicated service she has given to the school over the past 17 years. We wish her a happy retirement.

Ms. Walsh joined us till the end-of-the-year and will be moving on to complete her PGCE. We thank her too and wish her the best for the future. Ms. Potts will be taking over as KS4 science teacher from September.

Finally, I take this opportunity to thank you for your cooperation & support throughout the year and wish you all an enjoyable summer break.

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Mufti Abdullah
Head Teacher