



13th July 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

REMINDER

End of Term Arrangements Summer 2026

As we come towards the end of a very busy year, I would like to thank all parents and students for their continued support and hard work. The final weeks of term we have hosted our fabulous School Production of 'Frozen' across the evenings of 9th – 11th July, and look forward to our Rewards Assemblies for Years 7 – 10 and Year 12 from Tuesday 14th to Friday 17th July (inclusive).

On our final day of term, **Friday 17th July**, students will be dismissed at **1.00 pm** for the start of our Summer Holiday. The canteen closes after break on the final day. Students in receipt of free lunches are able to collect their food from the canteen during Morning Break.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very pleasant Summer Holiday, and confirm that the Autumn Term begins:

- **Monday 7th September 2026 (for new Year 7 students and Year 12 students only)** This is to allow Year 7 to settle into school.
 - **Year 7** – 10.30am – 3.15pm
 - **Year 12** – 11.30am – 3.15pm
- **Tuesday 8th September 2026** Whole school returns - 8.30am.

We will be following our **Week A** timetable in September as we return as The Harris Academy Benfleet.

Yours sincerely,

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