Queen Elizabeth School

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Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome Back to a New Academic Year

I hope you and your families have enjoyed a restful and enjoyable summer break. On behalf of all the staff at **Queen Elizabeth School**, I would like to extend a very warm welcome as we begin another exciting academic year together.

We are delighted to welcome back our returning young people and offer a special welcome to those families who are joining our school community for the first time. We look forward to working in partnership with you to ensure that every child is supported, challenged, and encouraged to achieve their very best.

The start of a new school year brings fresh opportunities for learning, personal growth, and success. Our dedicated staff have been preparing classrooms, resources and exciting learning experiences to ensure that our children have a positive and engaging start to the year.

At Queen Elizabeth School, we remain committed to providing a safe, inclusive, and nurturing environment where every young person feels valued and able to flourish. We encourage all our children to approach the year with enthusiasm, resilience, and a willingness to embrace new challenges.

As we begin this academic year, we are placing a significant focus on **raising and maintaining the highest standards in all aspects of school life**. High standards create the conditions for children to succeed, both academically and personally, and we know that when school and home, work together, our children thrive.

We are incredibly fortunate to have the support of our families and would like to thank you for the commitment you show to your child's education. Your support is invaluable in helping us uphold the high expectations that make Queen Elizabeth School such a positive and successful learning environment. By working together and maintaining a consistent message about standards, we can ensure that every child is given the very best opportunity to succeed.

This support includes ensuring that children arrive at school in the correct uniform, with the correct equipment for learning, and with mobile phones secured in their pouches before entering the school grounds. These routines help to create a calm, purposeful atmosphere where learning can begin immediately and where every young person is ready to achieve their best.

We also continue to strive for **100% attendance** and look forward to welcoming our children into school every day. Excellent attendance is one of the most important factors in an education journey, and we greatly appreciate the support of parents in

ensuring that everyone attends regularly, arrives on time, and is fully prepared for the day ahead.

All our policies, systems and routines can be found on our school website, along with detailed information about our uniform expectations and equipment requirements. We encourage all families to familiarise themselves with this information as we begin the new academic year. Further information about the school, including policies, routine expectations, statutory information and inspection outcomes, is available on our website and through the following links Uniform Policies Reports.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch. We value our partnership with you enormously and look forward to continuing to work together to achieve the very highest standards for all our children.

We are excited about the year ahead and the opportunities it will bring for us all, including the wider school community. Together, we can make this a successful and rewarding year for every child.

Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to welcoming everyone back and sharing many successes and celebrations throughout the year.

Yours sincerely

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