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Important Dates for Spring Term

Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope this letter finds you, and your family, well and that you are looking forward to the upcoming half-term break with your children. As you will ready, in our new Bow Bulletin - <https://www.bow-school.org.uk/News/Bow-Bulletin/> - this has been a busy, and exciting term at the school. I'm sure that those parents who secured a ticket would agree that the recent 'Curtains Up', Bow School Creative Arts Showcase, was one of the highlights of the term, as has our recent weeklong visit from students, and teachers, all the way from Peru. Not to mention the brilliant university offers, including from Oxbridge, that have been rolling in for our students. As we look ahead, next term looks to be just a busy, and so I thought it would be helpful to share some dates, and important information with you.

Return to School

Please note that we return to school, following the half-term holiday on Monday 24th February at 08:30am.

Ramadan

Many of our families will soon be observing and celebrating the holy month of Ramadan. As is usually the case the school will closed on for Eid-Al-Fitr 31st March 2025, to all students and staff, in support of these important presentations.

Y9 Options and Parents Event

This event is scheduled to take place on Wednesday 5th March. In order to ensure that parents, students and our staff are can attend this important event while, at the same time, ensuring that those observing Ramadan are able to do so, we will be changing the format of this event which, for this year, will take place online. Further details about exactly how this will work, will immediately follow immediately after the half-term break.

However, I can confirm that on this basis the school will close to students early on the 5th March at approximately 2.15pm. As always, if this early closure presents any particular problems please reach out to your child's head of year for support.

INSET Day

Friday 7th March is a planned pre-scheduled INSET day for teachers. On this basis, school will be closed to all students.

Personal Development Day 3

The third of our extended curriculum personal development days, where students participate in a range of trips, visits and events will take place on the 19th March. If this day involves a trip out of school, for your child, we will be in touch with details of this trip in the early part of the next half-term.

Y8 Parents' Evening

This event will take place in school on Wednesday 2nd of April between 4.00 and 6.30pm. We very much look forward to seeing all of our Y8 Parents, and students, on the evening to discuss their progress and achievement.

Finally, may I wish all of our Y11 and Y13 students every success in their mock exams, and all of our families who will be observing Ramadan and wonderful and peaceful holy month.

Yours sincerely,



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Headteacher