



## THE MOUNTBATTEN SCHOOL

2 December 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

### End of Term Arrangements

The term ends on **Friday 20 December at 12:30pm**. Buses will depart by 12:35pm. Food will be served at breakfast and at morning break.

### Next Term

The Spring Term begins on **Monday 6 January** at 8:35am. The half term break is from Monday 17 February to Friday 21 February. There is an INSET Day on Monday 24 February so the students will return on Tuesday 25 February.

Please ensure that any uniform purchases over the holidays are fully in line with our school uniform policies in order to help maintain our high standards.

### Next Academic Year

Please note that we have already agreed the [school term dates](#) for 2025-26. In particular, please note the two-week October half term beginning Monday 20 October 2025, with students returning Monday 3 November 2025.

This term has been very successful with the introduction of a new behaviour policy. We believe that every child deserves disruption-free learning every minute of every lesson. This approach has led to significant improvements in classrooms, corridors and around the school and has been commented upon by external visitors as well as by the children themselves! I would like to thank all in our community – teachers, trustees, parents and children – for helping secure these improvements. I would also like to thank all my colleagues for the sheer number and depth and breadth of extra-curricular activities that have taken place this term in every subject and in every year group.

I'm sure we are all eagerly awaiting the Christmas break and so I would like to wish you all a very merry Christmas and happy New Year.

Yours sincerely

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