



RAINE'S FOUNDATION SCHOOL

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Important News

Dear Parent / Carer,

I write to inform you of the latest updates and changes happening at Raine's Foundation School.

Year 10 Work Experience:

All Year 10 will be on their work experience placements from **Monday 12th June until Friday 17th June**. Those students who have not secured a placement will be expected to attend lessons as normal in full school uniform.

Ofsted report:

Raine's had a successful monitoring visit from Ofsted on Friday 6th May. They are pleased with the progress we are making and recognised the hard work of governors; staff and pupils. We will continue to develop to become the best school we can. I will let you know more details when the final report is published.

Uniform:

As you may have heard the new uniform comes into force for the new year 7 with effect from September 2016. If you wish for your child to wear the uniform you may do so. This is optional. Images of the new uniform will be available on the school website week beginning 6th June.

The proposed changes are as follows:

- Girls to wear a black pleated skirt or black trousers.
- New Blazer to be worn by both boys and girls. Girls blazer will be fitted, both blazers will have the Raine's blue as a trim and will have a different logo to the one on the present blazer, this logo replicates, far better, the original logo of the school.
- Black V neck jumpers for both boys and girls.
- A new tie that is clip on to be worn by both boys and girls.
- White shirt for both boys and girls.

We will be expecting new Year 7's to have the new uniform, in order to ensure all of the blazers are not snapped up by other students I would like parents not to purchase this until after the start of term next year in September 2016.

Lower School Plans:

With effect from September 2016 year 7 and year 8 will be educated in the upper school (Approach Road). This is a fantastic opportunity to create a professional environment for our sixth form students. I will post the plans on to our website during the next half term showing you our proposed new gym, café and lecture theatre.



Insert Day:

This is a gentle reminder that **Monday 27th June** is an Inset Day (Staff training day) so the school will be closed for students.

Year 8 Founders Day:

This will take place on **Friday 24th June** Periods 5-6 at church of St George-in-the East. Students will be travel there and back by coach.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rob Hullett', written in a cursive style.

Rob Hullett
Interim Headteacher