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11<sup>th</sup> September 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

#### Our HT community is re-connected!

Our whole HT community has been simply amazing this week. Following detailed preparations for the return of all students, we are fully open and our students and staff have been simply wonderful, working together to establish the conditions for how we will work in the coming weeks. Thank you to all families for your good wishes, and numerous kind messages about how our staff have welcomed your children back to school. I feel immensely proud, watching our community achieve so much this week.

Student attendance has been at 98% this week and it has been excellent to have our hard working and committed students back with us, learning together in lessons and re-connecting with each other in their year group bubbles including at break and lunchtimes. I would also like to give a special mention to our new Year 7 students who have had a flying start, showing such a positive approach to all they have done in the past week. They have made a tremendously positive impression and I hope they have enjoyed their first week with us.

We have various Key to Success virtual events next week for Year 8, 9, 10 and 11. Our virtual Meet the Tutor Evening for Year 7 will take place on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> September and there will be a similar welcome event for the Sixth Form. Families in each year group will be sent a presentation via an email link for you to view. Please do not hesitate to contact the appropriate members of staff, or me, with any queries or feedback about the start of term or new arrangements. We will respond as quickly as we can, to provide any answers to queries you may have. Clear and regular communication is critical to support our students, and never more so following school closure and with many new routines in place.

#### Welcome to new staff

A number of new staff joined us at the start of term. We are fully staffed, and in some areas have deliberately over-staffed to provide the best possible support for our students as we fully re-open following school closure.

Miss Jethmalani	Teacher of Science
Miss Vanezis	Teacher of English
Mrs Puchalski	Subject Leader – Drama (started April)
Miss Stevens	Faculty Leader – PE
Mrs Bisceglia	Teacher of MFL (started April)
Miss Navamuel	Teacher of MFL and English as an Additional Language Coordinator
Mr Ramdoyal	Teacher of Maths
Miss Parveen	Teacher of Maths

Ms Just has changed her role this year. Following her work as Vice Principal over the past 2½ years, she will continue to work with us part-time this year with specific responsibilities for our catch-up and recovery work with students in the coming term following school closure. Mr Macaulay and Miss Newman have joined the senor leadership team as Assistant Principals. Full contact details for senior staff are included at the end of his letter.

#### Safeguarding arrangements

Student and staff safety is our highest priority. We have highly effective safeguarding procedures in place. Students have very regular information shared with them about our procedures, how to stay safe and how to report any concerns. This includes their online safety and is very important to us. Our Designated Safeguarding Lead is Mrs Goodes, Vice Principal.

My email address is <u>newmanr@haileyburyturnford.com</u>. Please do not hesitate to contact me at any time if you feel it is necessary to do so.



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I hope your child has enjoyed being back at school, and has a successful start to the new school year following the full range of subjects to enable us to provide an ambitious, broad and balanced curriculum for our students.

Yours faithfully

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Robin Newman Principal

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