



# NEWSTEAD WOOD SCHOOL

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13 July 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

## End of Term Arrangements – July 2026

Now that we are into the last week of this academic year, I am writing to advise you of the arrangements for the last day of term, Wednesday 22 July 2026.

As in previous years, our last day of term will be our Commemoration Day and our theme this year will be **Hollywood**. Students can wear their own clothes based on the Hollywood theme. Please remember that outfits need to be school-appropriate.

Students will spend time with their form and year groups before the Commemoration celebrations and final summer gathering on the school field (weather permitting). Students will then be dismissed from school at 12.15pm at the latest. The coaches will be collecting their students at 12.45pm.

As is customary, we will be re-emphasising punctuality and uniform expectations in September, and I thank you in advance for your support in ensuring students are at school on time and wearing the correct uniform. The autumn term starts on Friday 28 August for Year 7 and 12 only, and on Tuesday 1 September for all other students.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a restful summer break and to thank you for your continued support. We all look forward to welcoming students back in September.

Yours sincerely,

**Paul Norman**  
Headteacher

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