



Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2021

Dear parents and carers,

As we move into the last three weeks of the academic year, please find below some updates about the work of the school.

### **End of the summer term**

The end of the summer term will be on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2021. School will finish on this day at 12.40pm, at the end of period 4, and students will be asked to leave the building by 1pm. Students entitled to free school meals will be provided with lunch on this day by the school.

### **Collection of exam results**

Students in Year 13 will collect exam results on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> August. Students in Year 11, and Level 2 students doing resit GCSEs, will collect results on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> August.

### **Appeals following exam results**

Details about the appeals process, for any students who are not happy with their grades, will be sent directly to students and parents in advance of students receiving their results in August.

### **Summer School**

At Mulberry UTC, Summer School will take place in w/c Monday 16<sup>th</sup> August. The Summer School provision will focus on supporting students to close any gaps in learning that have opened up as a result of the pandemic. The timetable for Summer School sessions and invitation to sign up will be sent out to you by Ms Brian, Senior Vice Principal.

### **Wearing of face-masks in school**

Within the Mulberry Schools Trust, we are continuing to ask students and staff to wear face-masks in school, both in corridors and in classrooms. We will continue to review the situation, but at present we do not anticipate changing this requirement before the summer holiday.



### **Tower Hamlets Local Area inspection of SEND provision by Ofsted and the CQC**

We have been informed that there will be a local area inspection of SEND provision by Ofsted and the CQC, between 28<sup>th</sup> June and 2<sup>nd</sup> July. Mulberry UTC will not directly be involved with this inspection, but the local authority have asked us to make parents aware so that they can contribute their views if they wish to do so. A letter about this from the local authority, including a link to a parent survey, has been placed on the school website: <http://mulberryutc.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/10193189-LASEND-letter-to-Area-Parents-002.pdf>

### **Uniform and dress code**

Please remind students that they must wear correct uniform and dress code at all times. Detailed information about the school's uniform and dress code is available on the school's website.

- Students are not permitted to wear trainers, sandals or high-heeled shoes
- Students must not wear jeans, hoodies, hats or caps within the school building
- Students must not wear coats or scarves (apart from headscarves worn for religious or cultural reasons)
- Students are not permitted to use mobile phones or headphones inside the school building

Thank you once again for all your ongoing support for the school.

Yours sincerely,

Dr K Vincent

**Principal**