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Dear Parent / Carer

As usual, we have a busy term ahead.

The final stages of KS3 Teacher Assessments, KS4 and Post -16 exams and portfolio development will be completed this half-term. Early predictions indicate that many of our students have made exceptional progress this year and we are anticipating that this Summer's results will be our best ever.

Good attendance and punctuality is particularly important at this time of year. Please can you make sure your son/daughter leaves home in plenty of time to start school at 8.45 am. This will ensure they are able to make the most of the learning time in lessons.

Over the last term, we have further developed our website to make sure it provides information about the latest school news, events and diary dates. Students and staff have also developed their own Key Stage and House Blogs. You can access our website at [www.newporthigh.co.uk](http://www.newporthigh.co.uk).

Finally, can I remind you of some important diary dates:

<b>Monday</b>	<b>April 26</b>	<b>School closed to students for staff training</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>May 3</b>	<b>School closed – Bank Holiday</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>May 31</b>	<b>- Friday 4<sup>th</sup> June – Half Term Holiday</b>

Thankyou for your continued support at this crucial time for our learners.

Yours sincerely

Karyn Keane  
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