

Friday 5th July 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

Leadership at NUSA, New School Day and End of Term Arrangements

I am writing to inform you of exciting developments at NUSA. Firstly, I am delighted to inform you that Emma Howard will be the new Head of School at NUSA from September 2019. Mrs Howard has been Pastoral Deputy Head at NUSA this year, and has developed strong relationships with staff and students, as well as introducing a number of effective pastoral systems. Mrs Howard has previously been a school leader in two other secondary schools, and is looking forward to leading NUSA on the next stage of our journey.

Following consultation with all stakeholders, we can also confirm that NUSA will be introducing a reshaped School Day from September 2019. A copy of the confirmed School Day from September is on the reverse of this letter. We would like to thank parents and students for their feedback during consultation as your comments have helped to shape a school day that will benefit everyone in our community.

As we enter the final weeks of the school year students are looking forward to end of term reward trips. We would like to take this opportunity to make you aware of arrangements for the final day of our term. School will finish for students at 12.15pm on Friday 19th July. Students are invited to stay for lunch and are asked to depart by 1pm.

Finally, I would personally like to record my thanks to parents, carers and members of our community. During nearly six years at NUSA, I have had the pleasure of meeting and working with so many of you and I have thoroughly enjoyed my time as a leader at NUSA. The improvement in the school in this time has been significant and your support has been much appreciated. I wish you and your families the best of fortune for the future.

Yours sincerely,



Mark Trimmingham
Head of School

NUSA school day from September 2019

Time	Session
8:45 – 9:35	Period 1
9:35 – 10:25	Period 2
10:25 – 10:40	Break time
10:40 – 11:30	Period 3
11:30 – 12:20	Period 4
12:20 – 13:05	Lunch
13:05 – 13:20	Tutor time
13:20 – 14:10	Period 5
14:10 -15:00	Period 6