



PEMBROKE
A PRIORY ACADEMY

Friday 21st September 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

As Head of Year 9, I am writing a short letter to introduce myself to you at this early stage of the new academic year. My name is Mrs Pickersgill and I look forward to a successful year with our Year 9.

After only two full weeks of the new academic year completed, I have to say how pleased I am with the way in which Year 9 have settled into their new timetables and new routines and the positive manner in which they are all responding to our motto of 'Achieving Together', our three rules of 'Be Safe; Be Ready; Be Respectful' and of course, to our five core values of 'Courage, Curiosity, Generosity, Passion and Wisdom'. In lessons, it has been noticed how well students are responding to these values through their learning. Students have already engaged with the Pembroke Pledge and many have signatures showing their participation in the wider aspect of school life.

There is so much which goes on during the academy week and we are very keen to share this with you at home. Our website, www.priorypembroke.co.uk is regularly updated with news stories (under the heading 'News') and contains information about extra-curricular activities and clubs which run each module (in the 'Extra-Curricular' section). It is here that you view the range of clubs and activities on offer this Module. These clubs and activities are updated on a module by module basis. We are on Twitter so please follow us @PrioryPembroke for the latest news and information and we also have a Facebook page (search for Priory Pembroke). It never ceases to amaze me how much, and indeed what, is achieved, throughout the academy year by both students and staff and we hope that you enjoy reading about the many accomplishments that occur.

With the module now in full swing students and staff as well as parents and carers are very busy. On top of all the module grades given each module below is a list of key dates for your calendars to help you with organisation and planning:

Key dates for Year 9

Thursday 27 th September	Whole school Prize Giving Evening
Wednesday 3 rd October	Whole school individual photos
Thursday 14 th February	Year 9 parents evening
Beginning of July	Year 9 written reports

Year 9 students have made a settled and successful start to Module 1 and they should be as proud of this as I am.

Yours faithfully



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