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Dear Parents/Carers,

William Ellis Summer School – Monday 23rd - Friday 27th August (9am-3pm)

We hope you have signed up for the Summer School – if you have not done so already it is not too late. The form to register is on your son's Opeoo account and can be accessed once your son's record has been verified.

If your son is not able to attend all five days but can attend part of Summer School, he will be more than welcome. The Summer School is always a good way for new students to make new friends and get to know some members of staff and the layout of the school prior to starting in September.

Summer School is all the more important now as we cancelled the induction day, so it will be the perfect opportunity for your son to get to know the school, his teachers and his peers.

The starting time each day is **9.00am**. You may drop your son off at the school gate or at the playground from 8.45am for a prompt start at 9am. Boys will be dismissed at **3.00pm**. Your son may make his own way to and from school if you are happy for him to travel unaccompanied.

Your son should be provided with a packed lunch every day as **lunch will not be provided by the school**. He should also bring a refillable water bottle.

We will be doing sporting activities on a daily basis and therefore your son should wear appropriate clothing (non-uniform) or bring sportswear to change into.

We are advised by the government to ask that your son take a Lateral Flow Test on the evening of Sunday 22nd or the morning of Monday 23rd August. If you wish for your son to wear a face mask, please provide him with one.

On some of the days we will be doing off-site activities. On these days please send your son to school with:

- Zip/Oyster card
- A face mask for travelling on the London Underground (advised by the government)
- Waterproof clothing
- Any medication he may need
- Sun cream if necessary

We will inform you of these particular requirements nearer the date as the timetable for activities has not yet been finalised.

Finally, we ask for a **£35 (or £5 per day) voluntary contribution** to help with the costs of the Summer School activities. You can pay by cash on the day your son starts summer school. This should be handed to me or to a member of staff greeting students in the playground in the morning.

Kind Regards,

Mr K Altmann
Assistant Head Teacher
Head of Transition