

April 2022

Dear families

At Trinity, we always strive to ensure we maximise every minute of the school day and find marginal gains to support our students to be as successful as they can possibly be.

With that in mind, **from September 2022** we have decided to make some slight changes to our curriculum which will allow students to have two additional lessons per week, with each lesson being 50 minutes instead of 55. As well as firmly believing the changes will have a positive impact on the learning of all of our students, the changes will hopefully make the end of the school day more convenient for families with children at both DMP and Trinity.

Briefly, the changes are as follows:

- Students in years 7-9 will have 33 50-minute lessons per week, instead of 31 55-minute lessons.
- Students in years 10 and 11 will have 34 50-minute lessons per week, instead of 32 55-minute lessons.
- Family Dining will begin slightly later to allow for five lessons each morning.
- On Mondays, the school day will finish at 4pm for all students, except Year 11 who will finish at 4.30.
- On Tuesdays, the school day will finish at 4pm for all students, except Year 10 who will finish at 4.30.
- On Wednesdays and Thursdays, the school day will finish at 4pm for all students.
- On Fridays, the school day will finish at 2.15pm for all students.
- The iBase will be open until 5pm on Mondays – Thursdays and until 3.15pm on Fridays.

As always, if you have any questions or any feedback you would like to give, please contact the academy in the usual way.

Yours faithfully

Emma Steele
Principal

