

## **Ebbw Fawr Learning Community**Cymuned Ddysgu Ebwy Fawr

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Dear Parent/Carer

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a good Easter break. Can I also remind you of some important Key Dates which take place following our return to school on Monday 13 April 2015:

Wednesday	29 April – 7 May 2015	The National Numeracy and Literacy tests for students in Years 7, 8, and 9 will take place between these dates
Monday	4 May 2015	May Day - Bank Holiday
Friday	8 May 2015	GCSE Examinations begin
Thursday	21 May 2015	Year 7 Parent Consultation Evening
Mon-Fri	25 May – 29 May 2015	Spring Bank Holiday
Thursday	18 June 2015	Year 8 Parent Consultation Evening
Friday	17 July 2015	End of Summer Term
Thursday	21 August 2015	GCSE Results Day
Tuesday	1 September 2015	Autumn Term commences

Can I also take this opportunity to remind all students/parents/carers of the need for correct uniform. Uniform is important to us as a school. It allows our students to have a sense of pride and self-respect for the way they present themselves. Our students are often praised by members of the public and local community for the way they look. Although the vast majority of students wear the correct uniform, there are a number of students who are letting us down. Can I remind everybody that

- We expect students to wear black shoes not canvas daps or plain black trainers
- Trousers should not be of denim material

After Easter we will be undertaking a number of uniform checks. Please ensure that your child is wearing the correct uniform.

Can I remind parents that if you have any issues or concerns that you would like to discuss personally, I am available every Thursday evening from 3:30pm to 6:30pm. Please book an appointment through Mrs Johnson on wjohnson@ebbwfawr.co.uk or alternatively call on 01495 354684.

Thank you again for your continued support this term.

Best wishes

P Collins Phase Director Secondary

