

5th Feb 2024

Assalaamu 'Alaikum (Peace be with you)

Dear parent/guardian,

I pray this letter reaches you in the best of health.

As we approach Ramadhaan and prepare to observe our worship during this month, it is important that the value and blessings of this month is not lost for our pupils and our wider school family.

School Timings:

As highlighted in the weekly Parents Briefing Notes on Friday 2nd February 2024, in order to assist pupils with the demands of Ramadhaan, we will be tweaking our school times from Monday 11th March 2024 until their return from the Easter break on Monday 15th April 2024.

Pupils will be expected to have arrived in school by the usual time of no later than 7.45am **but will be dismissed** from school at the earlier time of 2.25pm. Pupils with intervention will be dismissed at 3.20pm.

There is no compromise to the time given to learning. Rather, a shorter lunch break has been given as many of the young men will be observing fasts. Pupils who are entitled to Free School Meals will be able to collect a grab bag to take home if they wish.

Reading in Form: 7.55 - 8.10

Period 1: 8.10 - 9.05 Period 2: 9.05 - 10.00 Break: 10.00 - 10.15 Period 3: 10.15 - 11.10 Period 4: 11.10 - 12.05 Lunch: 12.05 - 12.20

Period 5: 12.20 - 1.15 Period 6: 1.15 - 2.10 Zuhr Salah: 2.10 - 2.25pm Intervention: 2.25 - 3.20pm

In addition to this, we will also introduce a number of other initiatives which will allow our young men and families to derive maximum benefit from this month which I will write to you about in due course.

If there are any queries, please do not hesitate to contact us on 01254 918670 or info@tibhs.staracademies.org.

Yours faithfully,

Mr Majid Ditta Principal

