## **Ormiston Bolingbroke Academy**

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Dear Parent/Carer

The final weeks of this half term provides us with a great opportunity to focus on our motto of 'Dare To Shine' and how our staff and students can live this every day. Part of this approach is a two day 'Shine' focus. I am delighted that the trust have agreed to be a part of this and are releasing some of their key staff to support us. They will be present on site for two days, Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024 and Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2024 wearing 'hi vis' vests so that they are easily identified by students.

Students should not be concerned by this; they are here to help. This is a real opportunity for everyone to 'Shine'. Getting these areas right before the summer means a great start to the new term in September. Student and staff feedback tells us that we all want consistency this really matters. Students will have an assembly week commencing 24<sup>th</sup> June 2024 to remind them of our routines and expectations.

I want to be clear that we are not introducing anything new, just revisiting school expectations, including standards on corridors, uniform and readiness for learning. In order to prepare staff for this important focus, the academy will close to students at 1pm on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2024. Lunch will be served at 12.20pm on this day and then students will leave the site.

If your child is unable to go home at 1pm on this day, please inform the main office by telephone by Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2024, so that alternative arrangements can be made for them.

As always, thank you for your continuing support in raising standards and upholding the academy's expectations together.

Yours sincerely

Kathryn Evans Principal











