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Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for taking the time to complete the survey regarding our extra-curricular provision. It is great to see so many students wanting to engage in the activities on offer. We are now in a position to confirm a few key details.

Baking Club

All students who have selected this as an option are requested to attend a training session after school this Monday (20th Sept). Mrs Timson will cover the key requirements for the group, look at the safety aspect of using the kitchen facilities, discuss the importance of food hygiene and ask students what they would like to learn to bake and cook. However, due to the large number of students requesting this as an option, we will be splitting the group into two. Students will be asked to select either group A or group B. Group A students will attend on week A and students in group B will attend on week B. They will then be told what ingredients they will need to bring to the following session. Any further questions, please email Mrs Timson at j.timson@theskiptonacademy.co.uk

Swimming Club (Year 7 and Year 8)

Due to a delay in getting an allocation at Craven Leisure, we are having to delay the start of the swimming club. We appreciate this will be disappointing but we are hopeful that we will be in a position to start this club on Tuesday 28th September. Students will be contacted by Miss Brown with any updates. Due to the popularity of this club, once we start, the group will be split in two. Boys will attend on week A and the girls will attend on week B. Should you have any questions then please email Miss Brown at s.brown@theskiptonacademy.co.uk

Boys Football Club

Due to staffing commitments, we are having to move this club to a Wednesday after school (3pm - 4pm). Mr Turner and Mr Milburn will lead this session and are really looking forward to getting started. I appreciate this is short notice and for some students who were due to be collected by parents at 4, they are welcome to stay in school till that time.

Girls Football & Rugby

Due to popular demand and requests, we are now in a position to confirm that we will be starting girls football and rugby. The sessions will run every week alternating with rugby on week A and football on week B. For any girls interested in this, they will need to speak to Miss Brown.

Duke of Edinburgh Award (Year 9 - Year 11)

Students who have expressed an interest in this will receive a separate communication from Mr Adams. They will receive details of the cost implications of this, meeting times and expectations of the course, to ensure successful completion of this award. It was great to see so many of our younger students wanting to take advantage of this amazing opportunity, however, due to the requirements of this award, this opportunity is available to students from Y9 onwards.

Lunchtime

Students attending lunch clubs are allowed to take their packed lunch or a hot meal from the school dining hall to their respective clubs.

PE Kit

For all sessions where a PE kit is required, we are asking students to bring this with them. For students who have selected swimming as an option, Miss Brown will communicate any requirements nearer the time.

An updated timetable is attached to this email. Thank you for your continued support. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me via my email address, j.khalil@theskiptonacademy.co.uk

Kind Regards,

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