



22nd April 2022

Changes to the School Day at Dean Trust Wigan from September 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

I am writing to you as part of a consultation process to make some changes to the school day. The changes and reasons for making them are set out below. We began the process by consulting with governors and staff and we are now consulting with pupils, parents, local schools and the bus companies. We would like to consider your views before putting in place any changes for September 2022.

Proposed Academic School Day for September 2022/23:

- The school to be open to pupils for breakfast from 8.00am.
- Pupils are expected to be in their form rooms by 8.40am
- Increase break time to 20 minutes
- Increase lunch time to 40 minutes.
- Lessons to finish at 3pm
- Extra-Curricular clubs to run between 3.00pm and 4.00pm.

Why are we proposing these changes?

- To extend the school day in order support students to have increased extra curricular opportunities as well as opening earlier to support working parents/ carers.
- We believe that these changes will significantly benefit student learning and lead to a better school experience for all pupils.

However, I appreciate that these changes may affect you personally. For this reason, I would like to invite you to give your feedback. If you have any feedback on the proposal, please email a response to office@deantrustwigan.co.uk using the heading 'Consultation'. This consultation will end on Thursday 26th May 2022. I will inform all stakeholders of the outcomes in the Summer term before arrangements are confirmed for September 2022.

A copy of the proposed school day for September 2022 can be found overleaf.

Yours Faithfully

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Proposed school day for September 2022

Time	Learning and Activity
8.00am	Breakfast Club
8.40am-9.00am	Morning legal registration in tutor room and tutor led personal development learning/assembly/morning meeting.
9.00am-9.50am	1 st lesson
9.50am-10.40am	2 nd lesson
10.40am-11.00am	Break time
11.00am-11.50am	3 rd lesson
11.50am-12.40am	4 th lesson
12.40pm-1.20pm	Lunch time, lunch time extra-curricular activities
1.20pm-2.10pm	5 th lesson including afternoon legal registration
2.10pm-3.00pm	6 th Lesson
3pm+	Extra-Curricular activities/Extra learning workshops and intervention



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