



8<sup>th</sup> July 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are coming to the end of our annual fundraising week with a non-uniform day today. Over the week, students have participated in activities ranging from a 5 a side football tournament through to the greatly anticipated FiFA challenge. The colour run proved a popular option for students, and we are on course to raise over £4000 for the charity Solving Kids' Cancer.

Congratulations to Mr Gurney for organising events that have galvanised the school community around this cause. We would like to pass our thanks onto Jaylows Coffee for sponsoring our FiFA shield, and to Asda Lowestoft for their kind donations for our bake sale. All funds raised will go towards fighting neuroblastoma and supporting families through their incredibly tough journey.

Our new Year 11 have been sitting their first round of mock papers in the hall, replicating the 'real' exam experience. Considering this is the first time this year group have grappled the demands of full exam papers, I am very proud of the way they have conducted themselves – both as they enter the exam hall and also their mature attitude to the exam papers too. Teachers will mark these over the summer break, with areas of development forming the basis for lessons in the Autumn term.

Finally, I've received a great deal of positive feedback around our timetable rollover. It has really helped to settle students and provide a focus as we enter the tail end of the school year. We have a visit from the Local Authority next week, and are looking forward to sharing our progress journey with them.

With best wishes for the weekend!

**Mr Dan Bagshaw**  
**Head of School**