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Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome Back! It is encouraging to see students returning for the final half term of the year with such enthusiasm and continuing to take pride in their appearance and care in their learning.

Last half term was a very busy one as always here at City Academy. An exciting highlight for us all was the appointment of David Bailey as our new permanent Headteacher of City Academy from September 2018. I am delighted to inform you that Mr Bailey will start working with us over the coming weeks to ensure a smooth transition and will be in school full time from July 1st. Ms Leaman, CORE Education Trust's Director of Education, who has been supporting us as Acting Headteacher since February, will be facilitating this transition with other members of the Trust team over the next few weeks. Meanwhile, I will assume the role of Acting Headteacher at the school until Mr Bailey joins us. The senior leadership team and I will continue to benefit from additional input from CORE Education Trust through the support of consultant Headteacher Ms Gould, who I am delighted is staying with us for the rest of this academic year. Her support has been invaluable.

Our focus this half term is to continue to embed new routines and support our students to succeed and achieve excellence in their end of year assessments. To support the attainment and achievement of our Year 11 students, we have been running booster sessions which will continue; full details can be found on the school website. Our goal is to provide a positive, challenging, and supportive academic environment for our students. With your support, I know we can achieve this goal. Do please encourage your child/children to attend school every day, with the right equipment and ready to learn. We value your full support in ensuring that every student contributes positively to our Academy values of Collaboration, Opportunity, Respect and Excellence.

We look forward to our continued work with you building a strong school community, if you have any questions or require any more information please do not hesitate to contact the school in the usual way.

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support through this transition period. We have much to look forward to now that we have secured a new leader to take the school forward.

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Finally, please find below a list of key dates for this half term:

Thursday 21st June- Precious Lives

Thursday 21st June- Year 7 parents evening

Friday 22nd June- Final GCSE and GCE exam

Thursday 28th June and Friday 29th June- Year 7 Multi-Activity Trip (More information to follow)

Monday 2nd July-Thursday 5th July- Whole school exam week

Wednesday 4th July- Year 7 Induction day and evening

Thursday 5th July- Year 11 Prom

Tuesday 10th July and Wednesday 11th July- Wendy and Peter Pan Summer production

Tuesday 17th July- Rewards trip day

Wednesday 18th July- Sports day

Friday 20th July- School closes for Summer holidays at 12pm.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'E. Adeoye', written over a horizontal line.

Mrs. E. Adeoye
Acting Headteacher