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Dear Families

I would like to welcome new and returning families to Hampton SHS for 2023. Hampton staff have spent the last few days immersed in professional learning and planning for the arrival of students tomorrow, we are looking forwarding to seeing everyone. You may like to refer to the <u>General Welcome Handbook</u> for specific information and processes, please ensure students have any equipment and resources needed to start working on the first day. Additional booklist items can be bought in over the coming weeks according to timetabled classes.

First day of term for students Wednesday February 1, 2023

All students are required to be seated in <u>The Quad</u> by 8:40am for a brief whole school assembly before breaking into year group assemblies to receive their timetables and reinforce our focus areas. 2023 continues our positive, consistent, school wide approach to goals. We appreciate your continued support on our school improvement journey. 2023 school-wide focus areas:

- 1. Mobile phones off and away
- 2. Come to school and be on time to classes
- 3. Follow the Hampton uniform policy everyday

We will be following up with students out of uniform each day. We are aware that our uniform supplier, Nell Gray, has had an unprecedented demand for shorts, terrific news. We have a list of students who have ordered shorts, these students will not lose good standing. If families are experiencing any financial hardship with regards to purchasing school uniform, please contact Admin Services for support. Our 2023 draft Good Standing Policy is in the review stage, and we invite community feedback via hampton.shs@education.wa.edu.au

COVID and sickness

We ask that students who test positive to COVID or are unwell with any illness remain home while they are symptomatic and/or positive. I also encourage any students who wish to wear masks to do so. Boxes of RATs and masks can be picked up from Reception by students or parents.

We are very excited that our electronic sign is now installed. Important dates and messages for families will be displayed throughout the year. I look forward to welcoming families into the school for the many events and occasions at Hampton throughout 2023.

Regards Jan Jull Ms

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