

December 2014

Dear Parent/Guardian

**Re: Change to school calendar**

As we fast approach the end of what has been an extraordinary term for the students and staff of the UTC, I'd like to thank you for your continued support and contribution to the success of students as they work towards an extremely important 2015.

On Wednesday the 17<sup>th</sup> December, staff and students will celebrate Christmas lunch. There will be no cost for lunch on that day to encourage everyone to join the celebration in our refectory.

A review of progress this term and consideration of feedback from staff, students and parents means that we have decided to make some small changes to the school calendar this year. For information term dates are now as follows – the changes are to the end of this term and the spring term:

***Autumn Term 2014***

Starts: Monday 1st September (Year 10 and 12) Tuesday 2nd September (Year 11 and 13)  
PD Day: Wednesday 22nd October (No school for students this day)  
October Half Term: Monday 27th to Friday 31st October  
Ends: **Thursday 18th December (Normal end of day)**

***Spring Term 2015***

Starts: Monday 5th January  
PD Days: Monday 5th January (No school for students this day), Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March  
Early finish: 29<sup>th</sup> January 2015 (Students will leave school at 3pm)  
February Half term: Monday 16th to Friday 20th February  
Ends: **Wednesday 1st April 2015**

***Summer Term 2015***

Starts: Monday 20th April  
May Day: Monday 4th May  
May Half Term: Monday 25th to Friday 29th May  
PD Day: Friday, 19th June (No school for students this day)  
Ends: Friday 17th July 2015

Kind regards

Phil Lloyd  
Principal