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22nd July 2010

Dear Parent/Carer

Along with this letter your child's Mini School will have enclosed the first report which will be the Term 1 report for the 2010-11 academic year. Importantly families will be able to see that the targets in some subjects will have changed as obviously all of our students have now moved up a year. Of course those students who chose options will also now have their target and first assessment for these option subjects.

I wanted to also take the opportunity to thank those families who have taken the time to contact the school to let us know that the new strategy we are adopting with our behaviour charter, is beginning to have an impact. Certainly we have noted that students are now a lot more aware of the fact that teachers and other adults will make contact with families if the charter has been broken in any way.

I wanted to thank Year 8 students from Benz, Edison, Franklin and Sharman Mini Schools for making sure that our summer camp was a great success. Students from the four Mini Schools spent three days at the camp and I know that the feedback was very positive indeed. It was especially rewarding to see how positive some of the students were who at first felt quite reluctant to go.

Finally I wanted to wish all families a safe and relaxing summer break and look forward to welcoming everybody back at the start of Term 2. To ensure that all families are aware of the dates for the forthcoming terms please see the details below:

Term 2	Thursday, 2 nd September - Friday, 22 nd October 2010
Term 3	Monday, 1 st November - Friday, 17 th December 2010
Term 4	Tuesday, 4 th January - Friday, 18 th February 2011
Term 5	Monday, 28 th February - Friday, 8 th April 2011
Term 6	Tuesday, 26 th April - Friday, 27 th May 2011
Term 1	Monday, 6 th June - Friday, 22 nd July 2011

Yours faithfully



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