

East Birmingham Network Academy

21st June 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

This letter is to inform you of a trial adjustment to the school day we are planning from Monday 26th June. This has been made to try and support the pupils getting into school on time as well as helping them focus throughout the day.

From Monday next week, we will operate the day as shown in the table below. The school will open from 8.30am to all pupils and there will be a breakfast club from 8.30am to 9am. During this time pupils are welcome to come into school and have breakfast provided by us. This is not compulsory to attend but we will not be giving out any breakfast food after 9am.

If pupils choose not to go to breakfast club, then they must arrive at school between 9am and 9.10am where they will be expected to hand in their belongings etc. as they do now. If they arrive after 9.10am then they will be given a late detention as per the school rules.

The rest of the school day is detailed in the table and the school day will still end at 2.30pm on Monday to Thursday and 12.30pm on a Friday for all pupils, with the only exception being year 9 who will now finish at 1pm on Thursday.

We believe that this will help the pupils getting to school on time as we are aware many have significant bus journeys to get here, it will also mean that they will not miss vital learning time.

EBN School day	
Breakfast Club	08.30 - 09.00
Check in	09.00 - 09.10
Form	09.10 - 09.30
P1	09.30 - 10.30
P2	10.30 - 11.30
P3 (Inc Lunch)	11.30 - 13.00
P4	13.00 - 13.45
P5	13.45 - 14.30

On the reverse of this letter are some other reminders about school rules, can you please read them and support us in ensuring that they are adhered to by your child. Thank you for your support over the year so far.

Kind Regards



Mr M Baldwin
Head Teacher

Vape Pens

EBN Academy, like many other schools, has seen a recent spike in incidents involving student vaping. If your child brings in a vape pen and takes it into lessons or engages in vaping on school property including entering and exiting the building then this will result in a fixed term exclusion from the school, the vape pen will also be confiscated and not returned. Persistent infringements could result in them losing their place at EBN Academy. People under the age of 18 are not permitted to buy vapes and definitely should not be using them in school and being this the effects on health are quite significant.

Uniform

All pupils are expected to wear the correct uniform, including plain black footwear each day for school, the vast majority of pupils do this each day. If you are experiencing difficulties with acquiring some aspects of the uniform please contact us and we will see what support we can put in place. If pupils are not in correct uniform then they will be asked to work in isolation until it is resolved unless there are exceptional circumstances