

## **CAMPSMOUNT**

17<sup>th</sup> October 2022

Dear Parent,

At the start of every academic year our students are provided with a Campsmount Student Planner to support them in being PREPARED and this year was no exception.

In consultation with the Student Council and Student Leadership Team our school planners have been significantly improved with greater purpose. Students requested that planners had greater use beyond a place where they would simply record their timetable and Campsmount LEARN tasks ('Homework').

Further consultation with a wider group of students and staff led to the following developments in their use:

## Planners are:

- Your 'Passport' to move around the Academy—toilet pass, appointments etc.
- A source of information about our <u>daily expectations</u> at Campsmount
- Used to record your **timetable**
- Used as a **learning tool** and are placed on desks every lesson every day
- Used to record Campsmount <u>LEARN</u> tasks
- Used to make notes in **assemblies**—key dates and messages
- Used to record your opinions through our 'Votes for Schools' programme
- Used for **communication** between home and school
- Used to record **attendance**, **achievement** and **behaviour** points

As you can now appreciate, with such importance now placed on our Campsmount Student Planners aiding learning and PREPAREDNESS, it is vital that they are brought to the academy every day.

From  $31^{st}$  October on our return from the half term break, students will be required to present their planner on entry to the academy every day. For those that may occasionally forget their planner a temporary replacement sheet will be provided with a reminder. Thereafter, students will follow the regular Universal Principles expectations system. In the first instance home will be contacted by parent mail, on the second occasion by phone and finally by letter informing that a replacement planner will need to be purchased at a cost of £4.00. For those students already without a planner we do have several copies in school to purchase before the October half term break.

I would like to thank you in advance for supporting our high expectations of PREPAREDNESS at Campsmount Academy.

Kind regards,

Mr C Bentley Assistant Principal

