



Our Ref: CSN/KON

2 July 2026

ALL PARENTS/CARERS

Dear Parents and Carers,

Re: Late Start to the School Day – Monday 6 July 2026

As many of you will be aware, England's World Cup fixture on Monday 6 July 2026 is scheduled to continue into the early hours of the morning, with the match potentially finishing at around 3.00am.

Recognising the significance of this event for many of our students, families and staff, and in the interests of wellbeing and ensuring everyone is able to attend school safely and ready to learn, we have made the decision to implement a **late start** to the school day on **Monday 6 July 2026**.

School will open at 11.05am, ready for an **11.25am, Period 3 start**. Breaktime food will be served in our usual areas between 11.05am and 11.25am. Please note that any school trips will be running as normal and pupils should arrive at the appropriate time.

All transport arrangements and catering services will operate from this revised start time where possible. The school day will finish at the normal time, and all after-school activities will continue as planned unless you are notified otherwise.

We appreciate that not every family will be watching the match; however, we hope this slight adjustment will support the wellbeing of our school community following what promises to be a memorable sporting occasion. If you wish for your child to arrive at the normal school time of 8.40am, there will be a supervised area available, however no lessons will take place until the start of Period 3. Please click on the link below if you wish to register your child to the supervised provision. If your child is going to arrive at 11.05am there is no need to respond to this. Can we please ask that this is completed by no later than 9.00am tomorrow, Friday 3 July 2026.

[Registration for supervised session 8.40am - 11.05am on Monday 6th July 2026 – Fill in form](#)

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

We wish everyone an enjoyable evening and, hopefully, a successful result for England!

Yours sincerely

**Mrs Sutton
Headteacher**



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