

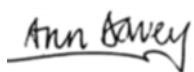
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Dear Parent / Carer

As you may be aware, an extra Bank Holiday has been announced for 3rd June 2022 for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee.

The DfE has amended the Education Regulations to reduce the school year 2021/22 to 189 days, in order to allow schools to close on the additional Bank Holiday, or on another day within the summer term if the date falls within the half term break. This will mean that staff and students do not lose out on the additional Bank Holiday.

For academies within Pathfinder Schools the additional Bank Holiday falls within our half term break. We have therefore agreed that the additional day holiday will be taken on 22nd July. This will mean that all schools will now finish for the summer break on Thursday 21st July 2022.



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