



27<sup>th</sup> February 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

### **CHANGE TO TERM DATES, 2024-25**

I write to inform you that we have had to make a slight change to our term dates for the next academic year, 2024- 2025.

I apologise for any inconvenience this may cause but this has unfortunately been unavoidable. As this change takes effect during the first term of the new school year, it is hoped that this will not be too problematic for you. There will still be a pupil non-contact day on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September but children will now return to school on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September. Our second pupil non-contact day will then be on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September.

The final change relates to the proposed training day in October. School will now close for the half term break on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October and Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October will be a pupil non-contact day. Children will then return to school on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October after the half term break.

I understand that some parents may have already booked holidays that may now be affected by these changes. We will therefore be able to authorise any absences on these amended dates if you are able to provide evidence of your pre-booked holiday. We will unfortunately not be able to authorise any absences for holidays that have not been booked prior to the issue date of this letter.

I hope that by providing you with the details of this change in advance, it will also allow you time to make arrangements for any necessary changes to childcare. A copy of the updated term dates is also attached for your reference.

Again, please accept our apologies for this change.

Yours sincerely

Mrs S Wilson

CEO

Tall Oaks Academy Trust

