

2nd March 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Remote Learning and Return to School - Update

Dear Parents/Carers

On Wed 3rd March, live lessons will not take place. This is for one day only. Teachers will be in school preparing for students' return to site next week. Instead, work will be set on Satchel:One. Students are expected to complete all work set and submit to their teachers via Satchel:One. Live lessons will recommence on Thursday 4th March as normal.

Students will have a phased return to school from Monday 8th March. This is to accommodate the Lateral Flow Testing. Year 10, 11, 12 and 13 will return to school for face to face teaching on Tuesday 9th March at 8.45am. Year 7, 8 and 9 will return to school for face to face teaching on Wednesday 10th March at 8.45am.

All lessons will be live on MS Teams from 8.45am on Monday 8th March until students return for face to face lessons. Teachers will send the live MS Teams live lesson invitations via email, so please ensure that your son has checked his email account to accept the invitation to the live lessons.

Lateral Flow Testing arrangements:

On Monday 8th March students in years 10, 11, 12 and 13 who have opted for a Lateral Flow Test will be invited in to school during an allotted time slot to complete the test. They will then return home after the test. On Tuesday 9th March students in years 7, 8 and 9 who have opted for a Lateral Flow Test will be invited in to school during an allotted time to complete the test. They will also return home after their test. Teachers will be aware that they may miss a lesson whilst attending school for the Lateral Flow Test. Students who have opted for a Lateral Flow Test will be contacted separately with their allotted time slot.

The finer details of the return to school procedures will be sent out tomorrow, Wednesday 3rd March.

Yours sincerely,

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