

1st December 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

COVID19 Update

In the light of the Prime Minister's announcements and having received updated guidance from the DFE, we are making the following changes from today until the end of term:

- Only **essential** visitors (health professionals) will be allowed on site. If you have made an appointment, this will need to take place by Zoom or by 'phone.
- All offsite activities: College, Roots & Shoots, swimming, offsite work experience, are paused until next term.
- We are reducing numbers of pupils eating in the dining room and the atrium dining space.
- From Friday 3rd December, pupils will be taught in their classroom by their form teacher all day.

These arrangements will remain in place until the end of term in order to keep all of us as safe as possible. We want families to enjoy the upcoming holiday together and to remain in good health.

After school clubs will finish on Thursday 9th December.

Please do support us by ensuring that if your son/daughter is able to wear a mask that they wear it in school.

Please also continue to take twice-weekly lateral flow tests. If you need more LFT tests contact Nick Clark in the school office.

All our usual Christmas activities will continue, plans are class based and we know that our young people will have a happy and positive end to the term.

If you have any questions or concerns about these arrangements or about COVID19, please contact Nick Clark or me.

Yours sincerely,



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Headteacher