



9 December 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope this letter finds you well. I write with further details of the return to school in January, once again the Government have announced that they wish schools to implement the additional control measures of lateral flow testing of asymptomatic students before they return to school in January. On this occasion we will only be doing this once at the school. This will mean that we will have a staggered start to the start of term, we will also be providing remote lessons to students in year groups not required to come for testing at a particular time. Arrangements for testing will be as below:

### **Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January**

- 8.45am to 10.45am Year 7 students invited to take a COVID test
- 11am to 12.30 pm Year 11 students invited to take a COVID test
- 1.15 pm to 2. 30pm Year 10 (Forms BOW) students invited to take a COVID test
- Students in Years 8 and 9 will have live remote lessons via TEAMS all day
- Students in Year 10 will have live lessons via TEAM period 1 and 2 only

### **Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> January**

- 8.45am to 10.45am Year 8 students invited to take a COVID test
- 11am to 12.30 pm Year 9 students invited to take a COVID test
- 1.15 pm to 2. 30pm Year 10 (Forms PAR) students invited to take a COVID test
- Students in Years 11 and 7 should return to school as normal
- Students in Year 10 will have live lessons via TEAM period 1 and 2 only

### **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> January**

- All students will be in school for face to face lessons

Please use the link below to provide consent for the test. This form will close on **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December at 9am.**

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=9OLzVXRnUy--Aoo72F-pHGUaaml6ipAv7YQKcZJR5lURVhYSjIDOVA3RkZLWlhYT01DQkYxQjkzRi4u>

### **Last Day of Term Arrangements**

On the last day of term, Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December, it is a half day and I can confirm the dismissal time will be at 12.20-12.30pm. We will have an extended break during the morning so students wishing to have lunch

can do so then. We will also have a non-uniform day on this day, students will be expected to pay £1 which will be donated to a charity, this will be collected at the gate. Details have been sent via Edulink.

Once again, I thank you in advance for your support and cooperation.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Deen', with a large, stylized flourish at the end.

Mr S. Deen  
Principal