

Dear Parents/Carers,

14th May 2021

We hope you and your family are well.

We wanted to write to you following the government revising some of their guidance for schools to begin on May 17th.

Safety Measures

Please be assured that we are continuing to do everything we can to make sure our students are safe at school. Our risk assessment has been reviewed again considering the revised government guidelines and is on the website.

Face Coverings

Updated government guidance was released on face coverings that will come into operation on May 17th. As you may be aware the DfE announced that from Monday, face coverings are no longer compulsory in school classrooms or communal areas for students. They have advised that staff continue to wear face coverings in communal spaces where social distancing is likely to be difficult.

However, we have received guidance from the local council who have decided (when looking at the local context of COVID cases still in Leicester) that face coverings should still be worn by students and staff in communal areas where social distancing is likely to be difficult. However, face coverings are no longer required to be worn in classrooms.

Therefore, from Monday, we will adopt this policy in line with the local authority and local health guidance. Face coverings need to still be used in corridors and other communal areas by all however, they are no longer required in classrooms. If students wish to still opt to wear a face covering in classrooms, we will obviously allow them to do that.

LFD Home Testing

We hope you are continuing with the LFD testing. Students should keep testing at home twice a week throughout this summer term. We will be sending further test kits home to facilitate this and will continue with our app messages as a reminder of when the testing should happen.



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Year 11

We are continuing to send home a weekly letter to all parents of students in Year 11 about the TAG process.

Remote Learning

Remote learning will continue to be set for any student who must self-isolate at any point during the summer term.

Extra-curricular

We are continuing with our PE extra-curricular activities. You will be notified of all extra-curricular activities via the app.

Yours sincerely,

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