



13th October 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

**EARLY CLOSURE : THURSDAY 15TH OCTOBER 2020 &
VIRTUAL YEAR 7 CURRICULUM EVENING : THURSDAY 22ND OCTOBER 2020**

It was wonderful to see so many parents/carers engaging in the recent open morning tours for admission to the school in 2021 as well as our first 'First Friday' Parents' Forum with the Headteacher.

In order to mitigate against risks, staggered arrivals and dismissals for students remain in place and lessons continue to operate from year bubbles. Students have responded well to these changes and are accessing the full range of curriculum on offer. To ensure that parents/carers are aware of the curriculum in place, a Virtual Curriculum Evening for Year 7 has been arranged on Thursday 22nd October 2020. Further details to be confirmed. If you have not provided an email address to the school, please ensure that you do so by Friday 16th October as you will be invited to the virtual meeting by email.

Please also a note that owing to restrictions as a result of the Coronavirus pandemic, Year 11 Parents' Evening will take a different format, starting from 1pm on Thursday 15th October. This means there will be a staggered early dismissal for students in Years 7 to 10 from 1pm. Year 11 students will remain on site to complete coursework or study until the time of appointment with their parents/carers and Form Tutor. Normal school resumes at the usual staggered starting times on Friday 16th October.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mr A English
Deputy Headteacher