



5th March 2020

Dear Parent / Carer.

Coronavirus Update

The advice from the Government at the moment is for schools to carry on with their normal daily practices. This advice is updated daily by the Government and passed to schools. Public Health England are the organisation that have the authority to close the school if it becomes necessary.

Part of the advice given by the Government is to ensure good hygiene practice, students have had assemblies explaining what they need to do to safeguard themselves.

Further advice for families can be found on the department for Education Coronavirus helpline:

Phone: 0800 046 8687

Email: DfE.coronavirushelpline@education.gov.uk

Opening hours: 8am to 6pm (Monday to Friday)

If it becomes necessary to close the school on the advice of Public Health England you will be informed in the normal manner for a school closure. This will be by text, Email and on the School Website.

To minimise any disruption to teaching and learning we will put in place work for all students on the Learning Gateway via the link on the school website. It is particularly crucial that year 11 students complete all the work that will be set for them.

I will keep you informed of any changes to our normal daily practice if the need arises.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'EJGut.', is written over the typed name 'Head of School'.

Head of School