

Email to parents

6th July 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

We had hoped that by this point in the summer term the Covid restrictions would have eased and that school life would have returned to a more normal experience. However, there has been a significant surge in Covid cases which is affecting schools. Sadly, as a result we are still having to limit the numbers of visitors coming on site. **As a result we will not be able to have parents at the end of term assemblies on Thursday 15th July.** Regrettably this will now be for students only.

We are still maintaining all our key measures in school, frequent hand washing and students working in their bubbles

If you your son, daughter or a family member experiences Covid symptoms they need to stay off school and get a PCR test. If that test result is negative, they can return to school. If the test is positive, they will have to self isolate. If your son or daughter comes into close contact with someone who has Covid they will need to self isolate.

If your child tests positive for coronavirus, please contact the school office immediately by email AND by phone (01483772057) during office hours (8am –4pm). Your child and all members of your family must stay at home. The school then informs the Local Authority and Public Health England. The Test and Trace process will begin immediately and all students and staff who have had ‘close contact’ in school will be asked to self-isolate. This is likely to be all of the students in the class and staff members who have come into direct contact. It may be that students from the other class in the bubble will need to isolate too. Any child, or member of staff who needs to isolate will be informed immediately.

As the end of term activities are taking place in bubbles and many are outdoors we are able to go ahead with them. **From this Thursday 8th July students can wear PE kit. Friday 16th July is a Mufti day with a 1.30pm finish.**

Kind regards,
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