

13th July 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

You may be aware that we have had a growing number of positive Covid cases in Year 12 over recent weeks, and a sharp increase over the last week. This has resulted in a very significant number of students being given notice to self-isolate.

We have taken further advice this afternoon from the local Health Protection Team, who themselves consult with PHE, and we have been advised to move the whole of Year 12 to online education for the remainder of the term.

Therefore, Year 12 students should not attend school from Wednesday 14 July.

If your student has received notification to self-isolate because of close contact with a confirmed Covid case then they should continue to follow the instruction until the date specified.

Please note that we are finalising identified close contacts for our most recent positive cases and there could still be further notifications to self-isolate for some students. If your student is notified in due course as a close contact then they should follow the self-isolation instruction until the date specified.

If your student is not under notice to self-isolate then they are asked to not attend school, but they are not required to self-isolate at home. We have also been asked to recommend that all asymptomatic Year 12 students continue to take regular LFD tests and if they test positive then they should arrange a PCR test and keep the school informed.

Thank you for your on-going support and understanding.

Kind regards



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