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Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you are all keeping well and safe. I thought it was time for a quick catch-up.

I am sure we all hoped we would be out of COVID restrictions by now, but alas this is not the case. It certainly makes things difficult to plan. Can I take this opportunity to remind you about the importance of students testing regularly, it is vital if we are to ensure that all students and the school are kept as safe as possible and that we keep any disruption to learning to an absolute minimum. If you need testing kits please let us know but students should have been given enough to last until the end of this term.

If there is any news about testing, or in fact any other COVID restrictions, for September we will of course be in contact with you as soon as we have further details. Fingers crossed that we have little to inform you about.

We have had to cancel our Transition Days for the new Year 7 students due to government guidelines on Transition, but thankfully they have the opportunity to visit secondary school during The Summer School at the end of August. We have a good number of the new Year 7 students attending and we are looking forward to seeing them then.

On a more positive note we managed to hold a wonderful Sports Day yesterday, all students were given the opportunity to participate in a wide variety of 'Year group bubble' controlled events which seemed to be enjoyed by all. I want to thank publically the staff and students for making that such a successful day.

Just to confirm that there will be no change in uniform next year, we will introduce any tweaks to the uniform over time and that will be based around when students need to buy new uniform, so there shouldn't be any additional cost for parents and families.

First Day of term in September is Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September, more details will follow.

I will be in contact with you all before the end of term, hopefully we can have a good run in to the summer break.

Mr Stephen Nicholson  
Head Teacher - Secondary