

Dear Parent/Carer

We have not had many wet lunches or cold days yet, but they are coming.

**Wet lunch procedures:**

The couple of wet lunches which we have had allowed us to try out some systems for managing students which we are now able to confirm. These arrangements will be shared with students in their tutor groups this week.

In short each year group will remain in their bubble areas using the corridor and some of the classrooms. Year 9 will have the covered Compound area and Year 7 and 11 also have space in their respective Restaurant areas.

**Cold Weather Clothing:**

As part of our Covid safety measures we are keeping windows open in classrooms (and doors where we can) as ideally we are trying to get a throughput of 10l/s of air. This means that at times students may feel cold.

There are three ways this can be addressed in this order:

1. Have a school jumper that can be put on if cold.
2. Wear additional layers under the school shirt such as a t-shirt or vest. This has very effective thermal insulation.
3. Wear school coat if extremely cold

Please remember that school coats must be plain navy blue or black. Sometimes students have tried to wear coats that have goggles as part of the hoods - these are not allowed. Hoodies are not allowed either. Please consult our school uniform policy if you are unsure.

Kind regards

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