

## **BISHOP CHALLONER CATHOLIC COLLEGE**

Monday 16th March 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re- Coronavirus COVID-19 Update

The school continues to receive and follow daily advice from the Department for Education and public health agencies regarding the ongoing Coronavirus situation. As the government has now announced the movement to the 'delay' phase there may come a time when a decision is made to close schools.

In the event of any closure you will be notified by text, email, school website and via social media platforms.

Plans will be in place for all students to be able to access appropriate work for the duration of any closure, this is especially important for those students in Year 11 and 13 who are preparing for the upcoming public examinations. Further details regarding work for all students will be provided if and when a closure occurs.

The following upcoming school events have been cancelled-

Tuesday 17th March 2020- Year 11 Exam Preparation Talk
Thursday 19th March 2020- Year 12 Parent Consultation Afternoon
Thursday 19th March 2020- ADHD Workshop
Wednesday 25th March 2020- Year 13 Parent Consultation Afternoon
Thursday 2nd April 2020- Year 8 Parent Consultation Afternoon

If school remains open there will not be an early closure on Thursday 2nd April as planned, school will finish at 3.10pm.

All reports will be posted home with details of how to contact staff in the event of any questions.

A decision regarding the planned inset day on Friday 3rd April will be taken in due course.

In the meantime, we will continue to follow government advice and urge you and your son/daughter to do the same.

Yours faithfully,

Dr J Coughlan Principal



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