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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope this letter finds you all safe and well. We have had an incredibly busy couple of weeks since we last wrote to you

Firstly, we wanted to share with you that we received wonderful feedback about the students who helped during Open Evening. All families were incredibly impressed by them. We are so very grateful for their support on this evening. A true credit to the school and their parents!

Today we have also celebrated World Mental Health Day by raising money for Young Minds' #HelloYellow campaign. Lots of students came to school today wearing yellow coloured accessories and donated £1 to the cause. It felt like a real pinch me moment observing the students in their Year groups with a sea of yellow visible. Thank you to all students who got involved in this celebration. If you would like to further understand the school's approach to Mental Health, you can do so by visiting the following link on our website: https://www.chorltonhigh.manchester.sch.uk/student-life/well-beingand-mental-health or for key Mental Fitness resources use the following link: https://www.chorltonhigh.manchester.sch.uk/student-life/mental-fitness-at-chorlton-high-school

We are aware that our letters are often long and include a lot of detailed information. For any parents who wants to check the most recent communication in a summarised version, you will find this by clicking the following link to the Parent **Noticeboard** on the school website.

https://www.chorltonhigh.manchester.sch.uk/parents/parents-notice-board-summary-of-messages

This webpage can also be translated into other languages by using the webpage translate function at the top right of the page.

There are a few key things we wanted to remind and inform parents of this week:

MS Teams – Reminders

- All home learning is issued through MS Teams, in the Assignments Tab of each of the Class Teams. Students can also track their progress in this section.
- All daily lessons are uploaded onto Teams which can be used for students who are self-isolating but also as an excellent daily revision tool to review student learning.
- Students can ask questions to their teachers using the 'Chat' function.

Events coming up

Next week (Thursday 14th October) we have our virtual Parent Tutor evening for our Year 7 parents and the following week (Thursday 21st October) we have our virtual Year 11 Parents' Evening. Information about how to access these evenings has been sent out separately – we look forward to seeing you then.

Have a wonderful and relaxing weekend, **Chorlton High School**















