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Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope that you and your family are safe and well.

This is my final letter to you, of this term. I would like to thank you once again for your support in what has been a challenging term. Your feedback and encouragement mean a huge amount to the Moat staff.

Our students have made a very good start back in school over the last three weeks. Their behaviour and work ethics have been excellent. They have shown a real determination that the school closure will not interfere with their progress and achievement. We are very proud of the start that they have made.

Covid Testing

We have now moved to home testing and kits have been issued to all students where parents have consented. This process has started very well. **Students need to continue to test twice per week over the Easter holiday.**

The tests are very easy to carry out, full instructions are given with the test kits. There is also a YouTube link below, which will take you to a clip that shows how to carry out the testing:

[How to do a COVID-19 Self-Test](#)

The result should then be reported to the NHS, the link to do this is below:

[NHS TEST REPORTING](#)

The test result also needs to be reported to school, the link to do this is also below:

[MCC TEST REPORTING](#)





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Year 11 Centre Assessed Grades

As you are aware, this year the school will be awarding grades to year 11 students, in line with guidance that the government has given us. We have started to work with year 11 students to carry out the necessary assessments and collect the evidence needed to award these grades. This process will be carried out sensitively and with integrity. We will be contacting you after the holiday with more details about this, including what evidence will be used. I urge year 11 students to revise hard over the Easter holiday so that they are ready for the assessments.

Years 7 to 10 Learning and Progress

All staff are working hard to ensure that years 7 to 10 are able to overcome the problems caused by the interruptions to their learning over the last year. We will assess what they know and put the necessary interventions in place to fill any gaps in learning. All students from year 7 to 10 will be sitting exams in all their subjects before the summer holiday. This will give us a good base to build on for the next academic year. Please be assured that we will work very hard to ensure that the school closures of the last year, do no long-term damage to your son/daughters' educational prospects.

I hope that you and your families have a good break over the school holiday. I'm sure that we are all looking forward to some quality family time together.

Please contact the school if you have any concerns, we are always here to help you.

Best wishes to you all.

Yours Sincerely,

Mr Killeen
Principal

