Year 8 Update



Monday 8th March 2021

Dear Parent,

I appreciate that for our Y8 pupils it is another week of learning via Google Classroom but have no fear; your teachers have ensured that the learning and tasks set will be challenging and require some real depth of thought and ambition. Your tutors will also be available to support and feedback on this work, and they will be the ones sharing the lessons and tasks with you via your *tutor group Google Classroom*.

Just one more week, we can do it!! I am so proud of you all and it was fantastic to see so many of you, even if only briefly on Friday.

Screening:

For pupils learning from home but **NOT** in isolation.

We have arranged a timetable for pupils to attend the academy on Tuesday 9th March and Friday 12th March for their remaining screening tests. The times are based on their tutor group as follows;

Year 8 arrival times

A 12.00 pm

C 12.30 pm

O 12.50 pm

R 1.10 pm

N 1.40 pm

S 2.15pm

Pupils that have already been given consent for the screening will need to arrive at the academy and make their way to the main front doors by Reception where they should socially distance until met by a member of staff. With a high number of pupils being tested, please ensure they arrive at their scheduled time promptly. They will need a face covering and will need to return straight home after their test to continue with their lessons.

Staff carrying out the tests have been trained to do so and will support them through the process.

Unfortunately, those pupils isolating will **NOT** be able to attend these next two test sessions.

We will be issuing Home Screening Testing Kits shortly but will update you on the process regarding these in a separate letter.

Thank you for your support with the screening process and please do not hesitate to contact us should you have any queries. We all look forward to seeing you soon, either for screening or on Tuesday 16th March.

Yours Sincerely





