



THE WESTLEIGH SCHOOL
Aspiring & Achieving Together

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18th December 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing following a very late announcement from the Department of Education and to inform you of how this will impact on our children's return to school after the Christmas break.

To summarise their direction all pupils in **year 11 and vulnerable children** must attend school in person from the start of term. Provision will be available for children of critical workers if required. For this provision we will be requesting a letter from employers or another form of ID when students enter the building to ensure provision is matched to those individuals with the greatest need.

Please find below a link to a survey that will allow critical worker parents to notify us if they require their child to be in school.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KN6HDKX>

Secondary schools will **operate a staggered return**, offering all non-exam year groups full-time remote education, as close as possible to that which students would get in class, during the first week of term, with **face-to-face education for all starting on 11 January**.

We recognise that this is late notice for some families, but this is a directive issued by the Department for Education. They have also issued guidance regarding the school delivering Lateral Flow Tests from January 2021. Information as yet is incomplete, and it is highly likely that more detail will be issued over the Christmas holiday. We shall keep you up to date via our website and social media.

As a reminder, here are the start times for year groups:

- **Gates will open at 8.15.**
- **Year 11, 10 & 9 start at 8.25 am**
- **Year 8 & 7 start at 8.40 am**
- **Year 10 & 9 finish at 2.40 pm**
- **Year 11, 8 & 7 finish at 2.50 pm**

Thanks for your continued support during this constant period of change, I remain proud to be the Headteacher of this wonderful school that lies at the heart of this community.

From all the staff at the school can I wish you all a very merry Christmas.

Yours sincerely,

Carlton Bramwell
Headteacher

Online Learning Timetable

Lessons will take place on Google Classrooms. If the subject is in bold, a live lesson will be taking place using the Google Meet link at the top of the

Year 9 A BAND					
	Monday 4th January INSET	Tuesday 5th January	Wednesday 6th January	Thursday 7th January	Friday 8th January
09:00-09:45	9A1 History 9A2 DT 9A3 French 9A4 DT	English Mrs Norcross English Mrs Michalakakos English Mrs Moulton English Miss Howarth	Science	PE	French Mrs Michalakakos History Miss Kenny History Miss Draper Geography Mrs Glover
09:45-10:45	Science	French Mrs Michalakakos History Miss Kenny French Mrs Thenot Geography Mrs Glover	PE	Maths	Art Miss Marsden DT Mr Morris DT Miss Caldwell DT Mr McCormack
11:05-12:05	9A1 Geography 9A2 Geography 9A3 History 9A4 Art	Drama Miss Fratenale Music Mr Dykes Art Miss Marsden It Mr Hodson	IT Mr Gorman Geography Mrs Glover Music Mr Dykes Drama Miss Fratenale	English	Geography Mr Killen Art Miss Hodgson PD Mr Harrison French Mr Roberts
12:05-13:05	Maths	History Mr Cunliffe IT Mr Gorman DT Miss Caldwell French Mr Roberts	English	PD Mr Ashton PD Mr Harrison Geography Mr Killen History Miss Kenny	DT Mr McCormack French Mr Roberts Geography Mr Killen PD Miss Lovatt
13:45-14:45	English	DT Mr McCormack French Mr Roberts IT Mr Hodson History Miss Kenny	Maths	Science	Maths

Year 9 B BAND					
	Monday 4th January INSET	Tuesday 5th January	Wednesday 6th January	Thursday 7th January	Friday 8th January
09:00-09:45		History Miss Kenny PD Miss Lovatt History Mr Cartwright	Geography Mr Killen History Mr Cartwright Geography Mrs Glover	Science	Geography Mr Killen Art Miss Hodgson DT Mr Morris
09:45-10:45		Maths	Music Mr Dykes History Miss Kenny French Mr Roberts	PE	Science
11:05-12:05		DT Mr Morris IT Mr Gorman Geography Miss Glover	Maths	Maths	French Mrs Michalakakos Geography Mrs Fairclough Drama Miss Fratenale
12:05-13:05		English	PE	DT Mr Morris DT Miss Caldwell Art Miss Hodgson	Maths
13:45-14:45		Science	English	French Mrs Michalakakos French Mr Roberts IT Mr Gorman	PD Mr Harrison French Mr Roberts History Mr Cartwright