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Dear parents and carers

It has been fantastic to have Year 10 back in lessons this week. Despite the unfamiliarity of the new normal, the students have been positive, cheerful and keen to learn. They are going to make an absolutely superb Year 11 that we can all be very proud of.

A few reminders for next week:

Firstly, as students will have four lessons next week, their day in school starts at **09:10am**.

Secondly, please could you also remind your son or daughter to check their assigned **school entrance**. This was identified in the letter we sent home that also contained their timetable. We wish to avoid the students all coming to the same entrance as this will lead to queues at the hand sanitising stations and make social distancing problematic. Regarding social distancing, we were all interested to hear yesterday's announcements from the Prime Minister. The school's Senor Leadership Team will consider these and Ms Voden will let you know of any changes in due course but please do ensure that your child understands that the rule changes don't take effect until July 4<sup>th</sup> in any case.

Finally, please be aware that in this very hot weather and to support with the practicalities of washing clothes after students have been in school, we have relaxed the rules on blazers until September and they are not required if students are wearing the winter uniform. The simplest and most practical uniform option for this time of year is for the students to wear the summer polo shirt with no additional layers on top.

We very much look forward to welcoming the Year 10s back next week for their option subject lessons.

Your sincerely

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