

5 October 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

## Virtual Open Evening & Other Messages

### Virtual Open Evening

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we have changed our original Open Evening for prospective families from a visit to the school to an online virtual event. This means that there will **not** be an early close to school tomorrow, **nor** a late start on Wednesday. The school day will run as normal.

Should you have a son/ward in Year 5 or 6 and wish to take part in the virtual tour, speeches and question and answer session, you can sign up [here](#). The Virtual Open Evening will start at 6.00pm tomorrow evening.

### Current Surveys

We are undertaking a number of surveys so that we are prepared for any further local or national lockdowns, or should we need to send groups or a bubble home, resulting from a positive test in school. If you have not already accessed the surveys below, please ensure that they are completed. Thanks to those of you who have already managed keep up with the various requests.

#### KEY WORKERS

We will provide on-site support for the children of key or critical workers should there be a partial school closure. A list of such workers can be accessed [here](#). If you are a key worker would you please complete the form [here](#) so that we can ensure that our records are up-to-date.

#### PRE-PERMISSIONS TO SEND STUDENTS HOME

Should we need to send students home at short notice, it is helpful to do so without the need to telephone every single family. Please complete the survey [here](#), so that we know who can be sent home without advanced notice.

In addition, your son/ward has been asked to complete an ICT audit so that we can be sure who has access to technology at home to support remote learning, should we need to partially close. Students should be completing this survey at school.

Thank you again for your help.

Yours sincerely,



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