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God is our refuge and strength, an ever present help in trouble. Psalm 46:1-2

Thursday 11 June 2020

Dear Year 10 Families

I hope you are keeping well. I am writing with further information about the phased reopening of St Martin's.

First, I want to say a huge thank you to the parents/carers who joined the virtual meeting yesterday, Wednesday 10 June. It was an opportunity for us to share with you our plans for the phased reopening in the short and longer term and to answer any questions or concerns that you had.

Thank you for your patience and support during this very difficult time and for telling us how helpful and encouraging we have been in supporting your children during this phase of home learning.

Based on my letter to you of 5 June, outlining the onsite provision from the week beginning 15 June, we have now made contact with families of the groups of students we are offering some in school face to face time. As a reminder, these are students studying GCSE Art and Music and students who do not have access to the internet. If you have not been contacted, **please do not** send your daughter to school. Our onsite provision is limited to the groups I have outlined based on your responses to our survey and our current staffing availability.

In my letter of 5 June, I also explained the provision of face to face livestream learning that will begin next week. I have already sent you the 'Student Etiquette' which I hope you have shared with your daughter, with this letter, I share the timetable. Please ask your daughter to be prepared for her Year 10 lessons in line with this timetable.

Until we welcome more students back to school, we hope that the livestream lessons will give your daughter further support with her learning. However, please contact us should you need any additional support or information.

I hope your daughter has managed to register for the ETONX course. The details of how to do this have been posted into the Year 10 google classroom.

The risk assessment for this phase of reopening has now been completed and will be sent to all families tomorrow. Information about health and safety for when students come into school next week will also be sent out tomorrow.



At the virtual meeting yesterday, we agreed that it would be good to review the first two weeks of the in school provision and the livestream learning. I am sending you a link for a further Year 10 Parents Google Meet to take place on Wednesday 24 June 2020 from 4:00pm to 5:00pm. This is the link which will take you to the event. meet.google.com/cxm-zefi-dtw I will send a reminder nearer the time.

In the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact the school if you have any queries or concerns. I would ask that you contact us by phone rather than visiting us. Currently, visitors to the school are strictly by appointment only.

I look forward to seeing as many families as possible at the Google Meet in two weeks time.

With all good wishes.

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