



CENTRAL FOUNDATION BOYS' SCHOOL

Dear Parents/Carers,

1st March 2021

Re: Return to School

We are delighted that, following the government's recent announcement, all students will be returning to school starting from the 8th March.

The School was fortunate that, during the autumn term, it had relatively few COVID infections. We hope that with the routines that we put in place, along with the new approach to COVID testing, that this good fortune, in terms of low levels of infections will continue.

In order to enable us to provide all students with the opportunity to have a COVID test prior to their return to school we will stagger the return dates of the students.

The return dates for the different Year groups will be:

Monday 8th March – Year 11 and 13
Tuesday 9th March – Year 10 and 12
Wednesday 10th March – Year 7 and 9
Thursday 11th March – Year 8

The School will run the normal remote learning for all Year groups up to the day before their return to school. In addition, the current in-school provision will continue to run as per normal through the period of the staggered opening.

In line with the government guidelines, to provide all students with the opportunity to be tested prior to the return of students to school, we will be running tests for each Year group.

The days of these tests are set out below. We will be providing students with time slots when they should attend school for these tests. We will provide more details with regard to the tests when we provide each student with their time slot.

Testing schedule

Friday 5th March
Year 11

Saturday 6th March
Year 13 / Year 12

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Year 10 / Year 7

Tuesday 9th March
Year 9

Wednesday 10th March
Year 8

Due to the volume of the tests that we need to carry out we ask parents to ensure that their child attends on the day allocated for their Year group and that they provide a consent form for the testing in advance or let us know if they do not wish for their child to be tested.

In order to prepare for the return to School there will be no remote learning for Period 6 and 7 on Friday 5th March and for Period 1 and 2 on the 8th March.

Yours faithfully,

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