

20th January 2022

Dear Parent/ Carer,

As you may already be aware, yesterday, the Prime Minister announced that all Plan B measures will be removed in England, with a full return to Plan A by Thursday 27 January.

*From **today, Thursday 20 January**, face coverings are no longer recommended in classrooms and teaching spaces for staff, students in year 7 and above.*

*From **Thursday 27 January**, face coverings are no longer recommended in communal areas for staff, and students in year 7 and above.*

Guidance on the use of face coverings within classrooms and communal areas from the start of term was implemented to help limit transmission of Coronavirus and importantly to help minimise disruption to learning as much as possible, which continues to be our main priority. Based on current national data, the Government has advised that the prevalence of Covid is now on a downward trajectory, resulting in the updated guidance.

We will continue to closely follow all Government guidance and to ensure the health, safety and wellbeing of all our students and staff, we will continue to keep our internal safety procedures under constant review. Should there be any changes to these, we will let you know.

As always, thank you for your support



Adrian Price
Principal