

6<sup>th</sup> November 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

A brief message today at the end of a short first week back after what I hope was a relaxing break for the students. Year 13 have enjoyed being back in the Godwyn House building and I am grateful to them for their patience last half-term. Their focus should now very much be on revision for the December assessments for which a confirmed timetable is attached. There will be no taught lessons from Monday 7th to Wednesday 9th December when students will have a short period of study leave and will only be expected in school for the times of their exams. Study facilities will of course be available for those students who prefer to work in school.

This week I have had to speak to too many students about their rather blasé attitude to wearing face coverings as required by current government guidance and I would welcome your support in reminding students that wearing a covering when going into a school building is no different to the basic expectation that a covering is worn when entering a shop. Sadly, the attitude of some students when reminded has been poor and we will not accept rudeness to staff who are simply asking students to follow the procedures that the government has set out.

On a more positive note, I have copied an email that the school received over half-term which was nice to read.

'I work down the road from Liverpool College and today I was walking back from Tesco and saw a large group of your Sixth Form boys. I stood to the side to let them pass and every single one of them said thank you to me. I was impressed with their manners so could you please pass this on to your Sixth Form boys.'

Wishing you a lovely weekend.

Best wishes,

Nicholas Griffith