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6th January 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you had a restful Christmas break and I'd like to take this opportunity to wish you all a Happy New Year! We are looking forward to welcoming students back for their initial LFTs and then returning to school.

Date	Testing Day:	Return to school:
Thursday 6 th January	Years 7 and 11	N/A
Friday 7 th January	Years 8, 9 and 10	Years 7 and 11
Monday 10 th January	N/A	Years 8, 9 and 10

As you will be aware the government have issued new guidance to secondary schools that students should wear face coverings in lessons for the foreseeable future. This is intended to limit the spread of any Omicron variant of Covid-19 in the academy which in turn should help protect the academy from any further action. We appreciate your support with this and ask where possible for you to ensure that your child has a face covering when they arrive to school. If your child is medically exempt please do pass this information to the academy if you haven't already.

We are hopeful that the changes to guidance will be enough to ensure the academy stays open. In the event that we have to take further action due to an outbreak in school or high staff absence then we will communicate this information to you as quickly as we can.

We expect students to return in correct uniform, ready for resuming learning. During the initial testing phase work will be available for your children on Microsoft Teams.

Your sincerely

Richard McGuire
Executive Principal