



Cardinal Langley RC High School

'An Outstanding Catholic School' S48, March 2017

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Dear Parent / Carer

As we approach the end of term, I want to thank you again for your continued support. It has been good to have our school community back on site and we are hoping that there is light at the end of the coronavirus tunnel. The Government restrictions are set to start easing over the coming weeks and I ask that you continue to be cautious in your approach.

There are a few items below that I want to make you aware of at this point, and should anything change before we return after Easter I will send further updates.

End of term arrangements

Our term will end on Thursday 1st April and the majority of students will finish at their normal time. As part of our fundraising efforts, the form group in each year that has raised the most for St Joseph's Penny will have the option to finish an hour earlier than normal. Students in the winning forms will receive a letter to bring home on Wednesday regarding this.

Summer term calendar

Due to the uncertainty that remains about activities in the summer term, we have decided to postpone our Year 5/6 Open Evening and this will now take place on **Thursday 30th September**. The planned staff INSET day on **Friday 16th July** will continue. The DfE has allowed schools to have an additional INSET day this year which will take place on **Friday 28th May**. Students are not expected to attend on either of these INSET days.

Testing at home throughout the Easter holidays for schools and colleges

Following the success of the asymptomatic testing programme on the return to school and college, it is vital to keep testing at home throughout the Easter holidays and into the summer term. Please ensure that you:

- test twice a week at home from now on (if you are taking part)
- report results online as positive, negative or void. This information is critical in helping to understand the prevalence of the virus across the country
- continue to test twice weekly over the Easter holidays
- test before returning to school or college for the summer term, either the night before, or morning of, the first day back, to find and isolate any positive cases

Families and households can also access home test kits for adults. Further information can be accessed [here](#).

The Secretary of State for Education has written a letter to all young people which can be accessed [here](#).

I hope that you all manage to enjoy time with your families over the Easter break and we look forward to welcoming students back on Monday 19th April.

Mr A Bridson
Headteacher

