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Incorporating: Codsall Community High School, Bilbrook CE Middle School & Perton Middle School
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24th March 2020

Dear Parents/Carers of Year 9 Students,

As you will be aware the coronavirus has had a major impact on all aspects of society, including schools.

This letter provides an overview of next year's curriculum, work set during school closures and review grades.

1. Curriculum implications

With schools expected to be closed for the remainder of this academic year we have reviewed our curriculum and timetable for next academic year to give more time in Year 10 for the accelerated course and in Year 11 to address any gaps in learning that may be created this year.

It is worth noting, at Codsall High, students start their GCSE and BTEC courses a year early, in Year 9. This creates space in our curriculum so we are able to accommodate extra lessons where we need to and address gaps, without negatively impacting other subjects.

We are in the process of making these changes and will provide further information, after Easter, once they have been finalised.

2. School closures and work for students

It is important that all students continue to make as much progress academically when not in school as they do when they are in school. To support this, teachers will continue to set work in the following ways:

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2.1. Online learning for BTEC courses

Many BTEC courses use the school's virtual learning environment (Moodle) to set and mark work.

Staff will set work for these subjects, by Friday 27th March, using moodle for students to complete at home.

2.2. Online learning for other courses

Other course work will be set using the school app (EduLink) by Friday 27th March.

Parents will also receive a notification if they have downloaded the app.

Work will include tasks for students to complete. This will often include answers so students can mark work when they have finished, or students can compare their work against exemplars, so they can see how good it is and what they need to do to make it better.

Teachers will also send an introductory message to all the students they teach so they can reply back if they have questions or queries about the work they are set.

Note: Students living in a household without a device (phone, laptop, tablet) were asked to give their name to their Form Tutor before school closed so arrangements could be made. If your child did this you will receive a text about it later in the week.

2.3. Offline learning

Our departments are in the process of purchasing workbooks, revision guides and other physical resources to support home learning. Once these arrive, they will be packaged up with deliveries made to home addresses each month.

3. Termly review

Just before the school closed, students took their milestone assessments for the spring term. Grades from these, alongside other information, will be sent to you later this week by text.

I hope you have found this overview of next year's curriculum, work set during school closures and review grades to be useful.

If you have further questions about this information, please email me at options@ch-pb.com.

Over the coming week, as further information becomes available, I will, of course, keep you informed.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D Robinson". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent initial "D".

Mr Robinson
Deputy Headteacher
Codsall Community High School