



Friday, 18 December 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am so sorry for writing to you again, however, you will have seen in the news that the Government have decided that schools, in January, should introduce mass and rapid, testing for coronavirus for pupils and staff. The Government have also advised that schools should stagger the return of students to allow for these plans to be put into place.

At this moment, we can only follow Government advice which means that our return to school will be, as follows:

Year 11 will return on Wednesday 6th January 2021 (however, we may need this to be a staff day to allow the plans to be put in place for pupils). Should this date change, we will inform you early January.

All other year groups will return to Hazel Wood High School on Monday 11th January 2021.

We recognise that there are a lot of unanswered questions, but find ourselves in a difficult position as we are awaiting further guidance. We will provide you with a clear plan as soon as this is available.

We hope that you and your families stay safe and well over the holidays and look forward to welcoming our pupils back in January 2021.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "P. Greenhalgh".

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