

Dear Parents,

Firstly, thank you to everybody for your reassuring emails. Thank you for supporting our colleagues that need to be at home right now. It is a weight off my mind that nobody is here that really shouldn't be.

In terms of students, around half the cohort are at home. Therefore the school feels calm and quiet. It feels manageable. Despite what you might read on the wonderful world of social media, we have not had a confirmed case.

If we do get a confirmed case or cases, we will go up another gear. I will also let you know if we get a confirmed case.

If the government change direction in terms of schools, we will fall in line.

Otherwise we can carry on like this in the short term and iron out the glitches in remote learning and make sure everybody is checking in.

In the interest of getting the students active and out in the fresh air we are looking at increasing the amount of PE we are offering. Therefore can I ask that all students bring their PE Kit every day from here on in.

There will be some updates on what we're doing with regard to online learning and contingency planning in case of any escalation at the end of today. But as it stands it's very much - steady as she goes.

Yours faithfully,

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