



Trinity High School

& SIXTH FORM CENTRE

Part of Bordesley Multi Academy Trust

Dear Parents and Carers

Re: COVID 19

At Trinity High School we are following the government advice in relation to how best to support national efforts to tackle the spread of the disease. At present we remain open and we will remain open until the government asks us to close. We continue to encourage all of our students to take sensible precautions to reduce the spread of the virus. Good hygiene – washing hands and following the “catch it, bin it, kill it” advice - will significantly reduce the spread of the virus.

Calendared trips and enrichment

Please see below for details regarding current status:

16 & 18 March	Y10 Geography Fieldtrip to Carding Mill Valley	Postponed, date to be advised
19 March	Y10 Parents' Evening	Postponed, date to be advised
19 March	Y9 Touch Rugby Tournament, Worcester	Cancelled
24 – 26 March 26 – 28 March	DofE Bronze Practice DofE Silver Practice DofE scheduled for after Easter are under review	Cancelled Cancelled
26 March	Y13 Psychology Grade Booster Workshop, Star City	Cancelled
20 March	Winter School Games, Bromsgrove School	Cancelled
	All future sporting fixtures	Postponed until further notice
29 June – 3 July	Y10 Normandy Trip	Under review

Any further events will be communicated to you on a day to day basis.

Although there are, at present, no plans to close schools, it is prudent for us to be prepared for any eventuality and to ensure that students can learn at home if the school is asked to close.

In the event of a school closure

We will provide students with subject resources and these resources will be accessed through the school website via a secure login.

Therefore, please could you and your child check the following:

1. That they are able to access the school website where they will find links to ePraise, their email/Office 365 and Shared Documents
2. That they are able to access and login to their ePraise and email/Office 365 accounts, there will be a new icon for Shared Documents

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3. ePraise will be used for the setting of work by teachers
4. Email/Office 365 will be used for any communication between the school and students
5. Shared Documents will be resources which will support students learning from work set in ePraise
6. Your child's log in details are the same as the ones they use when in school to log in to the school network; an example would be:
 - a. 18smithj = username for ePraise
 - b. 18smithj@trinityhigh.net = username for email/Office 365 and Shared Documents
7. That they check their school email account regularly, this will be the way that the school communicates to students

Summer Examinations

We are currently teaching for the examinations occurring as normal in the summer. Ofqual have issued the following statement:

"We recognise that students, parents, schools and colleges will be concerned about the possible impact of coronavirus on the 2020 summer exam series. Our advice at this time is to continue to prepare for exams and other assessments as normal.

We continue to work closely with exam boards, other regulators and the Department for Education and we have met to plan for a range of scenarios, as the public would expect. Our overriding priorities are fairness to students this summer and keeping disruption to a minimum.

It is still many weeks until exams start and we will issue updated advice if necessary, giving schools and colleges as much notice as possible."

We will keep you updated about the summer examinations.

Contact details

Please ensure that we have the most up-to-date contact details for you, you can email the school with any updates, office@trinityhigh.net

This is obviously a very difficult situation for us all. Please be assured that we will only close the school if government requires us to do so.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A W.' followed by a long, sweeping horizontal stroke.

Mr Adrian Ward
Headteacher