

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope that this letter finds you and your families well.

Following the recent announcement by the Prime Minister it is clear that there will be no return to school for secondary students in the near future.

We would love to see a return to some sort of normality, however, it is essential that this only happens when it is safe to do so. We are clearly not yet at this point in time. We will be considering the implications of the announcements on a wide range of school matters including in-school provision, home learning and arrangements for the next school year.

The guidance asks schools to begin to prepare for some form of return for students in Year 10 and so we will consider in the coming weeks what this may look like, however this is likely to be limited and will be dependent on many factors, including government advice.

Our staff will continue to provide the curriculum for pupils to work on at home through online learning and we have been so impressed by the quality of work that we have been seeing coming back in.

We will update you with any changes to the current arrangements, however at this time the closure of our school for the majority of staff and pupils remains in place, we continue to only offer on-site provision for the children of keyworkers, vulnerable pupils and those with an Education Health Care Plan (EHCP).

We are all trying to navigate our way through these uncharted waters, however, I would like to reassure you that we remain as committed as ever to supporting your children through the coming weeks and months. Please continue to monitor our website and normal communications methods for updates.

On a final note please can I take this opportunity to remind you of how to contact us during the partial closure:

**Enquiries: [info@george-eliot.warwickshire.sch.uk](mailto:info@george-eliot.warwickshire.sch.uk) or Phone 07583063826**

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Best wishes



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