

20<sup>th</sup> March 2020

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Dear Pupils and Parents

Following Government guidelines and official advice received yesterday, The George Eliot School will be closing as of the end of school on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2020 for the majority of pupils and staff. Details of the provision of our revised offer in response to government instructions will follow in due course to those parents of vulnerable children and those who have notified us that they are an essential keyworker.

We will continue to follow advice and monitor this situation closely while ensuring that we remain the cornerstone of the community during these uncertain times. Please be assured that the school has put robust plans in place to ensure that the vast majority of curriculum and business functions can continue during this enforced closure. Information for pupils about studying from home, exams and how we can support our school community through this challenging time has been sent to parents and any further updates and changes to this will be communicated.

We recognise and understand that you may have concerns and ask for your support as we work together to ensure the good health of all of our staff, pupils and our local communities.

We will keep staff, parents and pupils informed our website of any changes to the situation. Please continue to monitor your emails, texts, MyEd and the website for updated communications.

Our pupils remain our top priority, and therefore we would encourage you to support them in continuing to access school work and keeping up to date with learning as best as possible following the guidance and advice issued previously by us including:

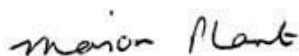
- Using knowledge organisers for revision
- Hegarty maths
- Lesson work using booklets – copies of which can be found on our website
- Homework set via Doodle by teachers
- You are also asked to maintain regular reading of fiction and non-fiction texts
- Revision for future exams and assessments
- Watching GCSE Pod clips
- Creating revision resources
- Homework from Educake

The web link: <http://www.george-eliot.warwickshire.sch.uk/links> has details of all of the above to help you. You will need to manage your time following the suggested topic areas and instructions for your year group on the web link above.

If you have any questions or queries during our period of closure please email: [Info@midlandacademiestrust.co.uk](mailto:Info@midlandacademiestrust.co.uk)  
We will respond as soon as we are able.

We continue to monitor the rapidly changing situation and will update you as things change. Thank you for your understanding and support during this situation and my very best wishes to you and your family at this very difficult time.

Best wishes



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Chief Executive Officer



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Principal - The George Eliot School

