



7 April 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Update 7 April 2020 Covid-19

I am writing to give you an update:

1. I have today written to each of our Year 11 and Year 13 pupils to explain the process for awarding examination grades during a time without examinations. I also seek to reassure them that we will remain in contact and plan ways of working with them on next steps to Sixth Form, College, Apprenticeship, University and whatever other path they choose to follow. I want to remind them we have their best interests at heart
2. We have successfully accessed the National Voucher Scheme although there have been technical problems with the use of the site due to the volume of submissions for vouchers. I am pleased that the Government changed its decision and is now issuing vouchers for over the Easter holiday two-week period. I have been in discussion with our catering manager and her line manager to discuss ten-day food parcels which we will begin distributing after the Easter break; these are in addition to the National Voucher Scheme vouchers which we will continue to distribute
3. On Wednesday 1 April 2020 we responded to the Bradford appeal for Personal Protection Equipment and we donated 43 Visispecs, 360 safety goggles, 86 other glasses and 2,700 nitrile gloves. Mr Green has been in school today and has successfully followed an online manual to make polypropylene and acetate visors to support with an online appeal for PPE; he and Mrs Watson will be going into production next week
4. We remain open over Good Friday and Easter Monday for pupils of parents/carers who are Key Workers and who are unable to safely have their children at home
5. We are seeing an increase in the number of Safeguarding cases and as previously, if parents/carers have any safeguarding concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us on enquiries@titussaltschool.co.uk and one of our Designated Safeguarding Leads will be able to deal with the case.

As I have previously written, if any parent/carers has any concerns and who does not already have a contact with someone in school, please contact the school on:

enquiries@titussaltschool.co.uk

As I receive any further information, I will keep you updated. Once again, many thanks for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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