

Dear Parent/Carer,

Last week was an incredible week where we welcomed back all students to school. They have been a real credit to you and we have missed them greatly.

We have also carried out nearly 2000 Lateral Flow Tests and students will receive their home testing kits after their third test this week. They will bring home two packs, each containing three tests in preparation for home testing to begin from Monday 22 March. Please ask your child for their testing kits and keep these safe. I will write to you later in the week with further instructions to prepare you for home testing.

Over the next few days, we will be writing to Year 11 and 13 parents to set out our final assessment procedures and explain how we will be generating the Centre Assessed Grades (CAGs) that will be sent to the examination boards.

I would like to thank you for your patience when you are dropping off/picking up your child from the bus park each day. This has been busier than usual since the full return to school. To try to alleviate the situation, some buses will park up after dropping off students in the morning, thus reducing the number of buses coming onto the site at the end of the day. Please be mindful of this when entering the site.

Finally, Red Nose Day is Friday 19 March and we will be taking part in the fundraising for Comic Relief by hosting a non-uniform day. Please look out for further information about the day and how to contribute to this fantastic cause.

Yours faithfully,

Scott Wilson Headteacher

