

Dear parent or carer,

In light of the current health situation with the spread of Coronavirus and unusual precautions that are in place, we have had to take the decision to postpone the work experience block for year ten.

THIS MEANS THAT YEAR TEN PUPILS WILL NOT BE ON WORK EXPERIENCE PLACEMENTS IN JUNE 2020.

If you have arranged a work experience placement for your son or daughter, please do get in touch with the organisation as soon as possible to inform the placement contact that this will not be going ahead. I am sure that most placements will already be fully aware that this is likely

We will look for openings in the future to get students real-life work experience and employment opportunities but as we are all aware the situation is very fluid at the present time and constantly changing.

In the meantime, let's all follow all government, scientific and medical advice to the best of our abilities and help to combat the spread of the virus and reduce strain on our health care systems.

It is possible that our young people are feeling anxiety around the pandemic and rapid spread of the virus. Take time to talk it over and discuss any worries they may have. There are, as usual, some very unhelpful videos and memes floating around the internet and social media. Let's make sure the information our children are getting is factual and supportive.

As always if you have any questions or if I can be of any help please do get in touch.

Stay safe and healthy!

Regards,

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