



BEVERLEY HIGH SCHOOL



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Dear Parent / Carer

Thank you for your patience and understanding while we sorted details of self-isolation for Year 10 yesterday.

As there have been multiple positive cases reported in your child's year group (Year 10) and those cases have now been confirmed through positive PCR tests, we have taken the difficult decision to switch all of Year 10 to remote learning for the whole of next week. With effect from Monday 12th July and until the end of school on Friday 16th July all Year 10 Students will be required to learn from home. Year 10 will be welcomed back into school on **Monday 19th July 2021**.

Whilst we appreciate that not all Year 10s have been identified as close contacts of the positive cases, the majority have and they have received a separate letter informing them of this. The decision has been taken in an attempt to protect those who haven't from returning to school and then being instructed to self-isolate at a later date and to enable education to be delivered in the most efficient and effective way. This decision has not been taken lightly, up to this point in the pandemic it has not been necessary to close down any year groups in the main school, sadly the situation locally and in school means that this is no longer the case. Of all the positive cases affecting our school community since September, over a third have occurred in the last fortnight.

If your child has a SEN and/or is disadvantaged and was eligible to attend school during the national lockdowns and has not been instructed to self-isolate, we will make provision for them in school, this will be similar to during the lockdowns where they will work in a room with computers, accessing the remote lessons that their teachers will deliver via Microsoft Teams. If your child fits the criteria and you would like them to attend school I would be grateful if you could let the school office know by email office@beverleyhigh.net or by calling 01482 881658.

The health, safety and wellbeing of our children and staff is extremely important to us and we thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Ms Sharon Japp
Headteacher

