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Dear Parents/Carers

### School update

In light of the announcement by the prime minister on the 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021, I wish to take this opportunity to update parents and students as best we can at this stage.

The school is open to vulnerable/critical worker children only, until February half-term in the first instance. These students will be supervised and, where appropriate, access the same online lessons that their peers are receiving at home. We have managed and will continue to accommodate all requests for this provision.

All other students will learn remotely from home. This includes exam classes, who we had hoped to welcome back to Kelvin Hall next week. As per previous communication, the main platform for online learning will be Google Classroom. Lessons or activities will be provided for each period of the school day. To access these resources, students should log on to Google Classroom using their Kelvin Hall Google account and find the relevant subject for their normal timetabled lessons each day. If you have any issues accessing home learning or you do not have the appropriate IT equipment at home, please contact [homelearning@kelvinhall.net](mailto:homelearning@kelvinhall.net).

### Y11 students

We are particularly disappointed for our Y11 students after an incredibly challenging 12 months. The education secretary made a statement in the house of commons yesterday which means that there will be no GCSE exams in the summer. We will, however, send a specific and detailed letter to Year 11 parents today as we will now move to GCSE teacher assessments over the Spring and Summer term. It is still incredibly important that students engage with and work hard on mastering the content and developing the skills that teachers are continuing to deliver online. Please rest assured we will work tirelessly to ensure that students are able to achieve the grades and recognition that their abilities, talents and attitude to learning deserve.

### Contacting the school/Safeguarding

We recognise what an anxious time this is for all our students and that they may well need to access additional support. Our reception will be open throughout lockdown during the normal school hours to answer any questions. We will continue to take the wellbeing of our students extremely seriously and we work with external agencies in order to do this. School reception: 01482 342229. Email [info@kelvinhall.net](mailto:info@kelvinhall.net).

Thank you for your continued patience and support. I do hope the home learning this week has gone well and I assure you that our staff will work hard to ensure the planning and delivery of our remote education for the next 6 weeks will be of the highest standard.

Yours sincerely,

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Executive Headteacher



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