



# Parents@Park (16.04.21)

#### A message from the Head

"Its wonderful to see students have returned to school following the Easter break in a positive and motivated manner - they are focused on their studies and working really hard and seemingly pleased to be back together on site (all be it in our bubble format). School has a really vibrant buzz - a great atmosphere for students to continue to be the best they can be. We look forward to the summer term ahead with life seeming a bit more 'normal' for our families"

Mrs. C. Eulert



#### **Notices**

• As per the DfE guidance: "In schools, for students in year 7 and above, face coverings should be worn when moving around the premises, outside of classrooms, corridors and communal areas where social distancing cannot easily be maintained. In addition, we also recommend, that face coverings should be worn by adults and pupils in classrooms or during activities unless social distancing can be maintained. Subject to the roadmap process, as part of step 3, we expect these precautionary measures to no longer be recommended. This would, however be no earlier than 17 May and will be confirmed with one week's notice".

Therefore the wearing of face coverings will continue at Park until further notice. We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone with their cooperation with face covering wearing. Students have adapted really well and this ensures we can keep everyone safe



• Thanks so much to all for the twice weekly Covid testing - home testing continues twice weekly until further notice. As per the guidance please continue to log the results with both the NHS and school log.

Report student Covid home testing results to school

Additional home testing kits will be sent him with students in due course.

• From September, the uniform policy will be updated to state that all school coats must be black. In addition, the wearing of hoodies and jumpers under blazers will not be allowed. This information is being shared early to prevent parents purchasing outwear not in line with school policy.

• A polite reminder to remind parents to respect the yellow zig zag lines outside the school gates. Our number one priority is to keep everyone safe at all times and these lines should not be parked on as per the highway code. In addition please can we all be mindful of our local resident when parking to drop off and collect students.



#### **Year 11 Leavers Updates**

• It gives us great pleasure to confirm that (subject to any government enforced Covid restriction changes), we are now planning to have a **Year 11 2021 leavers celebration and we have a date** 

of Friday 02nd July in the evening. Due to the pandemic, this event has to be alternative to the usual prom (it's not a prom!) but promises to be a spectacular event and one to remember. We are so excited and so happy for our students who truly deserve a brilliant send off.

Prom dresses and suits will not be needed - Transport to and from the event will, however, be provided as part of the ticket price.

Full details will follow but if you have any queries please contact <a href="mailto:shuntingdon@park-high.co.uk">shuntingdon@park-high.co.uk</a> or kcoffey@park-high.co.uk



- Leavers day is Friday 28th May after which they will no longer need to follow their time tables and attend formal lessons. Students, may however, be required to spend some time in school after half term up until 18th June to fill assessment gaps and/or complete any unfinished coursework.
- The Words of the Week for the week beginning 12th April





• This week's extra curricular timetable is below. Please note we are optimistic that we will be adding further activities week beginning 26 April as we hope to be able to re open the changing rooms for some students.

## Extra Curricular activities - Week beginning 19 April

### Sports hall activities

Day	Year group
Monday 4a	Year 7
Monday 4b	Year 8 'B' band
Tuesday 4a	Year 8 'A' band
Thursday	Year 9

After school activities

Friday - Year 7 Netball and Football

Further after school activities will begin the week beginning 26 April.









• Please <u>This week's career's news letter week 26</u>

School careers email address is <a href="mailto:careers@park-high.co.uk">careers@park-high.co.uk</a>

# **En francais**





Modelling a bedroom in french - super MFL work by Megan Wheeler Year 7

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# Dates for diary - further ahead

- 03rd May school will be closed for the Bank Holiday.
- Year 7-10 PRPs (to assist with student assessment and exam preparation) will be distributed to students on Friday 07th May in preparation for 10th May start. PRP's will run for three weeks.
- Year 11 assessments start 10th May

• Year 10 assessments start 07th June

School Holiday Dates 2020-21 (click)