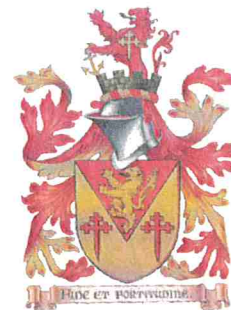




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Dear Parents



## Coronavirus Update

The DfE and Public Health England have stated schools remain open.

In line with the request from the government that everyone in the UK should now avoid non-essential travel and contact with others and to fight coronavirus we are making the following changes with immediate effect:



Science

Anyone who lives with someone who has a cough or a temperature should stay at home for 14 days.



Engineering

Year 7 Parents' Evening – Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March.

We are having to cancel this meeting.

On this occasion we are asking staff to make contact with parents only where there is a specific concern about your daughter's progress.



Year 13 Parents' Evening – Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April.

This is unlikely to take place, but we will confirm nearer the time.



Inter-school sporting fixtures: in line with many other schools, these are being cancelled until further notice.

Southend-on-Sea

All after school events: any non-essential after school events are being cancelled until further notice.

*For now, Year 10 and Year 12 exam practical coursework rehearsals for Drama GCSE and A Level, will still take place.*



We may have to make further changes in line with DfE and Public Health England advice, and will update you accordingly.



Yours sincerely



Dr Paul Hayman  
Headteacher

