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Our Ref SKE/SWO

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Dear Parent/Carer

We are continuing to monitor the developing Coronavirus situation very carefully whilst also refining our contingency plans in the possible event of a school closure. The details regarding our response for all year groups are outlined in this letter and will come into effect immediately if we are directed to close the school.

The table below outlines what you should expect for your child as there are different expectations for each year group. We are very mindful that there will be anxiety for those young people who are due to take exams in the summer. If we do close, every young person in the country will be in the same position, and I would like to reassure them that we will do everything we can to support them. It will be vital that they follow a normal school day as much as possible and complete the work set by teachers.

I am aware that for some families access to IT can be more difficult and I have asked staff to bear this in mind and where possible also provide some worksheets.

Year group	Plan of action
Year 13	All students and staff to use google classroom. Staff will set work for individual classes. With this facility staff can video explanations and upload content. Past papers etc. to be emailed to staff for marking. Staff will communicate with your son/daughter should they have any question, please be aware that responses may not be immediate. If they are streaming live content, they will provide prior notification.
Year 12	Past papers to be provided and exam board website - recommend that staff have set up a google classroom for their groups. (see above)
Year 11	All students and staff to use google classroom. Staff will set work for individual classes. With this facility staff can video explanations and upload content. Past papers etc. to be emailed to staff for marking. Staff will communicate with your son/daughter should they have any question, please be aware that responses may not be



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	immediate. If they are streaming live content, they will provide prior notification.
Year 10 Early Entry	All students and staff to use google classroom. Staff will set work for individual classes. With this facility staff can video explanations and upload content. Past papers etc. to be emailed to staff for marking. Staff will communicate with your son/daughter should they have any question, please be aware that responses may not be immediate. If they are streaming live content, they will provide prior notification.
Yr 7-10 including EE year 9	A google classroom has been set up per year group. All work from all subjects will be uploaded to this site. Access codes are included below for each individual year group. The expectation for the amount of work to be set is: Core subjects - expectation of 2 hours work per week Non-core subjects 1 hours work per week Staff will decide on what work is the most appropriate and it may be that they ask your child to use BBC Bitesize, My Maths etc. or worksheets. Staff have not been asked to deliver new content at this stage.

Codes:

Year 7: 7mb7xn3

Year 8: okyq453

Year 9: 4yjwpap

Year 10: ul6lcbb

We will keep you updated with any changes or developments by our school website:

www.allsaints.york.sch.uk/

If your child has not logged onto google classroom/school email recently, their password will be reset to their date of birth.

Should your child become unwell and we are not in the 'normal' holiday period, please can you inform school and provide details via the attendance email, this will be especially important for years 13, 11 and 10 who are taking exams in the summer:

attendance@allsaints.york.sch.uk

If staff are unwell, I have asked them to inform their line manager and we will endeavour for work to be set.

In the meantime, I have been provided the following information from CYC public Health:

Sharon Stoltz, director of public health at CYC, said: "We are in regular contact with all academy trusts, headteachers and early years settings with updates on coronavirus from the Department of Health and Social Care. The Department for Education (DfE) has also released [guidance for schools and educational settings](#)



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(see www.york.gov.uk/coronavirus) and a helpline to answer questions about coronavirus related to education is now open. Staff, parents and young people can get in touch by:

- Phone: 0800 046 8687
- Email: DfE.coronavirushelpline@education.gov.uk
- Opening hours: 8am to 6pm (Monday to Friday).

“In line with government advice, we are advising schools how to prevent infection by avoiding exposure to the virus with handwashing, covering coughs and sneezes and throwing tissues in the bin, and staying at home if you are feeling unwell.

“At the moment, there is no reason to keep children at home unless they are unwell and unfit for school, or they’ve been in contact with confirmed cases, or have visited the countries listed as high risk. It is important to maintain attendance at school to ensure children receive the education to which they are entitled and achieve the best outcomes.”

Thank you for your support and should you have any further questions, please email school in the usual way.

Yours sincerely

Mrs S.L Keelan-Beardsley
HEADTEACHER



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Public Health
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Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Useful links

Number of UK cases and latest figures - updated at 2pm every day:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-information-for-the-public#number-of-cases>

NEW Dashboard showing reported cases of coronavirus in the UK, including new cases, cases by upper tier local authority in England and number of deaths.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-track-coronavirus-cases>

Public facing information

NHS information – the first port of call for the public:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/>

Latest information and advice:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/wuhan-novel-coronavirus-information-for-the-public>

FAQs

<https://publichealthmatters.blog.gov.uk/2020/01/23/wuhan-novel-coronavirus-what-you-need-to-know/>

Blog about contact tracing:

<https://publichealthmatters.blog.gov.uk/2020/02/13/expert-interview-what-is-contact-tracing/>

Blog about self-isolation:

<https://publichealthmatters.blog.gov.uk/2020/02/20/what-is-self-isolation-and-why-is-it-important/>

Blog about the five things you can do to protect yourself and your community:

<https://publichealthmatters.blog.gov.uk/2020/03/04/coronavirus-covid-19-5-things-you-can-do-to-protect-yourself-and-your-community/>

Coronavirus (COVID-19): What is social distancing?

<https://publichealthmatters.blog.gov.uk/2020/03/04/coronavirus-covid-19-what-is-social-distancing/>



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Travel advice for those travelling and living overseas:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/travel-advice-novel-coronavirus>

Public information campaign

Resources for the public information campaign:

<https://campaignresources.phe.gov.uk/resources/campaigns/101-novel-coronavirus-resources>.

Resources for universities:

<https://www.universitiesuk.ac.uk/policy-and-analysis/Pages/coronavirus.aspx>

Guidance

All current coronavirus guidance produced by HM Government for health professionals and non-clinical settings:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/coronavirus-covid-19-list-of-guidance>

Guidance for boarding schools:

<http://www.boarding.org.uk/media/news/article/13449/Coronavirus-disease-COVID-19-guidance-update-as-of-25-2-20>

Travel advice:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/travel-advice-novel-coronavirus>

Coronavirus action plan

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-action-plan>

Media statements (oldest first)

Novel coronavirus and avian flu: advice for travel to China – 10 January 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/novel-coronavirus-and-avian-flu-advice-for-travel-to-china>

DHSC and PHE statement on coronavirus – 22 January 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/dhsc-and-phe-statement-on-coronavirus>

CMO for England statement on the Wuhan novel coronavirus – 24 January 2020:



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<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-for-england-statement-on-the-wuhan-novel-coronavirus>

Statement from the Foreign Office – 27 January 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/fco-statement-british-nationals-in-hubei-province>

Wuhan coronavirus: Health Secretary's statement to Parliament – 27 January 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/speeches/wuhan-coronavirus-health-secretarys-statement-to-parliament>

Statement from the 4 UK Chief Medical Officers – 30 January 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/statement-from-the-four-uk-chief-medical-officers-on-novel-coronavirus>

CMO confirms cases of coronavirus in England – 31 January 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-confirms-cases-of-coronavirus-in-england>

Statement about the launch of the public information campaign – 2 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/coronavirus-public-information-campaign-launched-across-the-uk>

£20m announced to fund vaccines for coronavirus and other infectious diseases – 3 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/20m-announced-to-fund-vaccines-for-coronavirus-and-other-infectious-diseases>

New UK aid to help stop the spread of coronavirus around the world – 8 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/new-uk-aid-to-help-stop-the-spread-of-coronavirus-around-the-world>

Statement from the CMO for England about the fourth case – 9 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-confirms-fourth-case-of-coronavirus-in-england>

Statement from the CMO England about cases five to eight – 10 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/chief-medical-officer-for-england-announces-four-further-coronavirus-cases>

Health Secretary announces strengthened legal powers to bolster public health protections against coronavirus – 10 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/health-secretary-announces-strengthened-legal-powers-to-bolster-public-health-protections-against-coronavirus>

[Secretary of State makes new regulations on coronavirus – 10 February 2020:](https://www.gov.uk/government/news/secretary-of-state-makes-new-regulations-on-coronavirus)



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<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/secretary-of-state-makes-new-regulations-on-coronavirus>

Health Secretary's statement to Parliament – 11 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/speeches/coronavirus-health-secretarys-statement-to-parliament>

Government to monitor impact of coronavirus on UK medicine supply – 11 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/government-to-monitor-impact-of-coronavirus-on-uk-medicine-supply>

Statement from the CMO for England about the ninth case – 12 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-for-england-announces-ninth-case-of-novel-coronavirus>

CMO for England announces 4 new cases of novel coronavirus – 23 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-for-england-announces-four-new-cases-of-novel-coronavirus>

Health Secretary's statement to Parliament – 26 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/speeches/covid-19-health-secretarys-statement-to-parliament>

CMO for England announces 2 new cases of novel coronavirus – 27 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-for-england-announces-2-new-cases-of-novel-coronavirus>

CMO for England announces 2 new cases of novel coronavirus – 28 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-for-england-announces-2-new-cases-of-novel-coronavirus-28-february-2020>

CMO for England announces a new case of novel coronavirus - 28 February 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-for-england-announces-a-new-case-of-novel-coronavirus-28-february-2020>

Health Secretary sets out government 'battle plan' for COVID-19 – 1 March 2020:



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<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/health-secretary-sets-out-government-battle-plan-for-covid-19>

CMO for England announces 12 new cases of novel coronavirus - 1 March 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-for-england-announces-12-new-cases-of-novel-coronavirus-01-march-2020>

CMO for England announces 4 new cases of novel coronavirus - 2 March 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-for-england-announces-4-new-cases-of-novel-coronavirus-2-march-2020>

Coronavirus action plan launched

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/coronavirus-action-plan-launched>

The Secretary of State for Health and Social Care Matt Hancock updated Parliament on the government's coronavirus action plan:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/speeches/coronavirus-action-plan-health-secretarys-statement-to-parliament>

Public information campaign focuses on handwashing:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/public-information-campaign-focuses-on-handwashing>

CMO for England announces 32 new cases of novel coronavirus - 4 March 2020:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-for-england-announces-32-new-cases-of-novel-coronavirus-4-march-2020>

Sick pay from day one for those affected by coronavirus:

https://www.gov.uk/government/news/sick-pay-from-day-one-for-those-affected-by-coronavirus?utm_source=08428d62-b7a9-4c35-81eb-927dae713db6&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=immediate

Coronavirus shows that health and work are inextricably linked:

https://www.gov.uk/government/speeches/coronavirus-shows-that-health-and-work-are-inextricably-linked?utm_source=ab8485c1-bc0d-4036-aff5-e7853b50609e&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=immediate

CMO for England announces 25 new cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) - 5 March 2020:

https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-for-england-announces-25-new-cases-of-coronavirus-covid-19-5-march-2020?utm_source=eb3314df-6413-4ef7-b52f-d73ba782f69a&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=immediate

CMO for England announces first death of patient with COVID-19 – 5 March 2020:



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https://www.gov.uk/government/news/cmo-for-england-announces-first-death-of-patient-with-covid-19?utm_source=a44da3e9-b86c-4775-9727-caf2d79c3c47&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=immediate

Coronavirus (COVID-19) listed as a notifiable disease

https://www.gov.uk/government/news/coronavirus-covid-19-listed-as-a-notifiable-disease?utm_source=4bde5590-fb9d-4735-ab49-b03c536550d8&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=immediate

PM announces new funding in fight against spread of coronavirus

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/pm-announces-new-funding-in-fight-against-spread-of-coronavirus>

Government outlines further plans to support health and social care system in fight against COVID-19

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/government-outlines-further-plans-to-support-health-and-social-care-system-in-fight-against-covid-19>

PM statement on coronavirus: 9 March 2020

https://www.gov.uk/government/speeches/pm-statement-on-coronavirus-9-march-2020?utm_source=cde3f173-e737-43e7-8923-92de4b0267aa&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=immediate

Taskforce to bolster local response to coronavirus

https://www.gov.uk/government/news/taskforce-to-bolster-local-response-to-coronavirus?utm_source=2ab5e168-ddda-4d60-978b-d15b8db03076&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=immediate



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