

To All Parents and Carers

31<sup>st</sup> December 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

### **Return to School in January 2021**

Following the government's announcement last night, this is to confirm that all students should remain at home to access online learning during week commencing Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021. The only exceptions to this are the children of critical workers and vulnerable students. If you are a critical worker and need a place at school from next Monday for your child, please email us on [admin@stannesacademy.org.uk](mailto:admin@stannesacademy.org.uk) if you have not already done so. We contacted the majority of families of vulnerable students prior to the Christmas break however if your child is vulnerable and you did not speak to us before Christmas regarding a place at school, please also email us on [admin@stannesacademy.org.uk](mailto:admin@stannesacademy.org.uk) or contact us by phone next Monday from 8am onwards on 0161 643 2643.

All students should follow their timetable next week to access online resources on the Academy website during school hours. Week commencing Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021 is week 2 of the Academy timetable. Live lessons will be provided unless you are otherwise advised. Please note that the provision of live lessons will be dependent upon the availability of staff resources and these will be prioritised for those students in Year 11 ahead of their GCSE examinations in summer.

Year 11 Parents' Evening will take place remotely as already arranged on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2021.

In line with government guidance, we are continuing to review the information on mass testing of students and staff in school and will update you accordingly.

Finally, I would like to reiterate that the information outlined above remains subject to change in line with government guidance as this becomes available and wish you all a happy and safe new year.

Yours sincerely,



Mr C Heyes  
Headteacher