



29 March 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

We are still experiencing a significant level of staff absence that is impacting our operational capacity. We have looked closely at staffing in the coming days and we will not be in a position to welcome Year 9 students back onto campus on Wednesday but currently believe that Thursday will be possible. For that reason please assume Year 9 students are back in school on Thursday 31st March unless we experience a significant deterioration to staffing at which point we would update again.

If we face a repeat of these staffing challenges in the coming weeks we would ask Year 8 students to remain home next time so as to minimise the disruption on any one year group and protect examination groups.

Thank you for your understanding and support at this challenging time and I hope we don't have to take such action again this term.

Yours sincerely

W Teece  
Headteacher