

Information for Year 9, 10, 11 students and parents / carers

- It is essential that all students follow social distancing expectations in school as well as on their journey to and from Verulam. This includes being 2 metres away from staff
- Students must wear facemasks in all indoor spaces unless they are medically exempt. Masks may be removed for some practical lessons like PE and the teacher will instruct them to do this
- **Students should bring at least two masks each day in case one is lost or breaks.**
- The school day for will begin at 8.35 and end at 3.20 (Y9), 3.25 (Y10) & 3.28 (Y11) (Tuesday 2.50 Y9, 2.55 Y10 & 2.58 Y11)
- Enter via Jennings Road only. Bike park located by Sixth Form
- The **Canteen** is available from 8am for **Y11 ONLY**
- Pupils are allowed on to the school site from 8am and may use **outdoor** areas designated for their year group. (See attached map)
- Form rooms are only to be used from 8.35am
- Full Verulam School Uniform to be worn
- On days students have PE / Games – Verulam sports kit should be worn all day
- Students should wear their blazer on top of their PE kit.
- **If students are taking part in an extra-curricular club, they should bring trainers / kit in a bag**
- Bring only the essential books / stationery and equipment to school each day
- Students must bring their own small bottle of hand sanitising gel
- If using Greenwood Bus, sit in year bubbles with Y7 at the front, followed by Y8 etc. Public transport rules apply so face covering must be worn at all times whilst on the bus
- Try to avoid public transport and walk / cycle where possible
- If using public transport students must wear a face covering
- Once on site – visit you locker located in the canteen quad. Lockers can only be accessed before school and at the start of lunchtime.

School Day

- Years 9, 10 and 11 will move to lessons in the usual way.
- **At the end of break and lunch, students MUST use the following entrances: Y11 by Drama, Y10 Exit only door by Student Services & Y9 Entrance by Matron / Technology**
- **When moving around school – there will be a strict one-way system in operation. To help with the flow of students, they should KEEP RIGHT in corridors. Please see attached map.**
- Students must follow this at all times except when the fire bell sounds. Here they should vacate the building by the closest exit and walk around the school to their fire assembly point.
- Mr Doyle, Mr Tansley and Mr Tromans (HOYs) will be located in the HOY office near the Library
- Year 9, 10 and 11 students will be given specific time periods to visit the canteen at lunchtime. They should gather in their playground to be escorted to the canteen. Students may bring a healthy packed lunch.
- Year 9, 10 and 11 will be allowed to use the canteen at break-time on one day a week per year. Y9 Wednesday & Friday, Y10 Tuesday & Thursday and Y11 Monday & Friday. On all other days they should bring a healthy snack with them.
- Students should **not** to mix with other students outside of their year group bubble

If a student feels unwell during the school day, they must see Matron immediately

Students must not attend school if they display any symptoms of Covid-19 or are unwell in any other way.