



Learning to shape the future

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Dear Parents and Carers

I am writing to update you following the Prime Minister's announcement today,

“From tomorrow, Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> January, face coverings are no longer recommended in classrooms and teaching spaces for staff, and pupils and students in Year 7 and above”

As a result of this, we will follow the advice above from tomorrow (Thursday) morning.

Nevertheless, there is still a requirement to wear face coverings in communal areas up to and including Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2022. From Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> January, there will be no requirement to wear a face covering in school. As always, we will continue to support learners who wish to continue to wear a face covering in class and/or in communal areas.

All other mitigating measures, which are currently in place, will remain.

Yours faithfully

L Cummins