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TO ALL PARENTS/CARERS OF YEAR 10 PUPILS

Dear Parent/Carer and Year 10 Pupils

Update – 24.06.2020

Thank you for your overwhelming support over the past three weeks since we have transitioned to CHOC. We have really appreciated your feedback with regard to online pre-recorded and live lessons. We cannot thank you enough for your patience whilst we have all been ‘getting to know’ new systems and completely new ways of teaching and learning.

In light of recent decisions made by Government to ‘relax’ previous lockdown restrictions including yesterday’s announcement around the imminent reduction of social distancing expectations, we are looking forward to welcoming our Year 10 pupils back in to school as of Monday 29 June 2020, next Monday. No more than a quarter of the year group will be in school at any one time in line with guidance.

Pupils will be invited into school in line with Government guidance for 2-hours either 0900-1100 or 1200-1400 over two days each week for the next two weeks to receive specialist input in Maths and English. There will also be an additional opportunity for some option subject face to face specialist input on a Friday in school. Specific details about groupings and timings plus option subjects that will be taught will be detailed to you before the end of this week but please do plan for some time for Year 10 pupils in school as of next week! It is important that pupils continue to follow their school timetable and benefit from the live and pre-recorded lessons that are being prepared by their own subject teachers in the interim.

Our focus at Cams Hill School has always been on ‘meaningful’ learning activities for our Year 10 pupils during lockdown. Every school is different and each have developed their own solutions specific to their context. For our pupils to have their own subject teachers, experience delivery of subject specialist content means we are able to continue to cover curriculum content particularly since the introduction of CHOC. Moving to more pupils being in school we are aware is not solely about academic delivery but also about re-connection and physical return to school buildings prior to the summer break to enable pupils to gain confidence and be as prepared as is possible for a return in September.

Specific details around timings, entry and exit points, hygiene routines and expectations, pupil groupings, equipment, teaching rooms, non-uniform requirements will be with you before the end of the week.

Thank you for your continued support and positivity.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher