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Dear Parents/Carers

We have had a very calm and productive half-term. Thank you for your support and well done and thank you to students for their hard work.

Thank you for all the kind donations received for the school fund. I am in the process of ordering more picnic tables for students using this money. If you would like to donate the easiest method is via your Parentmail account.

Should you need to inform the school of your child testing positive for CV-19:

- During school hours please phone the school office (Monday - Thursday 8.00 am to 4.30 pm, Friday 8.00 am to 4.00 pm)
- If out of school office hours please email notify@kksa.co.uk. Please entitle your email 'Positive CV-19 test', please include in your email your child's name, form, your contact phone numbers, when the child first displayed symptoms and the date and time of test. The email address is checked daily and we will get back in touch as soon as possible.

The school will notify all parents/carers of any cases so that there can be additional vigilance and we phone the parents/carers of the students who need to isolate because of being in close contact with the person who tested positive. I know that the school community will pull together and react quickly and efficiently on such occasions and we hope these occasions will be few in number.

Please would you take the opportunity to update your contact details either using Edulink or by emailing lblamire@kksa.co.uk.

In case of the need for remote learning we have been checking that all students have accessed their Google Classroom and Edulink accounts. If you have not viewed Google Classroom then please take the opportunity to ask your child to show you how it works.

The Autumn term is several weeks longer than Spring and Summer and I hope students have a well-deserved half-term break.

November dates for your diary

- Year 11 IGS (interim grade sheets) are available to view on your child's Edulink account
- Year 9 IGS will be available to view on your child's Edulink account by 6th November
- Year 10 IGS will be available to view on your child's Edulink account w/c 9th November
- Sixth form IGS will be available to view on your child's Edulink account w/c 16th November
- Year 8 IGS will be available to view on your child's Edulink account w/c 30th November
- For Year 11 the Sixth Form Virtual Open Evening will be 'live' on the website from 16th November.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Hyman
Headteacher