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Dear Parent/Carers,

As you will be aware from the Prime Minister's statement on Sunday 10 May, schools will open more widely from Monday 1 June, if the latest scientific advice at this point support it.

The school is hoping to partially reopen to Year 10 students from Monday 8 June. This is a large task and may have some implications on the distance learning support for your children. We will let you know as soon as possible what the significant proposed changes mean for our students and their families.

Year 10 Phased Return to School Update

Thank you to those parents of Year 10 that filled out our recent survey in terms of their child(ren) attending school for revision sessions. I was hoping to write to all Year 10 parents before we broke up for half term to share detailed information regarding your child's possible return in June. Unfortunately, we are not yet in a position to do this. This information will be circulated at some point next week and you will receive a text message when the letter is available to view on the school website. We are really looking forward to welcoming our Year 10 students back, however, I want to assure you that our number one priority remains the health and welfare of staff and students.

Currently, there are no plans for students in other year groups to return to school before September, so it is vitally important for Years 7, 8 and 9 to keep up with distance learning. Please let the school know if your child is struggling with accessing work in any way; we would like to support in any way possible.

I speak for my colleagues as well when I say we are all missing the company of the Hungerhill students.

HHS Live

The departmental challenges on the school website are updated on a regular basis. Please follow the link for further information, participation is not compulsory, it's aim is to give students the opportunity to engage with enrichment activities during the closure.

<https://www.hungerhillschool.com/page/?title=HHS+Live&pid=217>

Stay at Home Newsletter

As previously communicated, we continue to circulate new issues of the 'Stay at Home' Newsletter. Please follow the below links to view the issues that have already been released:

Issue 1 - <https://www.hungerhillschool.com/attachments/download.asp?file=2777&type=pdf>

Issue 2 - <https://www.hungerhillschool.com/attachments/download.asp?file=2803&type=pdf>

Issue 3 - <https://www.hungerhillschool.com/attachments/download.asp?file=2812&type=pdf>

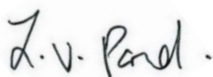
Update on Free Laptops from the Government

As communicated previously, the Government has announced that they are proposing a scheme where free laptops will be given to disadvantaged Year 10's and other vulnerable students. We recently circulated a survey to the eligible students with regards to their access to a computer/internet. We have applied for the laptops through the Government scheme and have been successful with our application. We will be in contact with those concerned when we have further information.

Finally, I would like to thank you for all your support in home schooling your children; we all know this is no easy task, especially amid a world of distractions. I would also like to thank all of those who have taken the time to contact us to thank school for the work we have provided and the provision we have put in place. Your support is greatly appreciated by everyone at school.


Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



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