



# Woodlane High School

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Monday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

## Re: COVID-19 (Coronavirus) – Wider Opening Update/ Summer Break

We hope this letter finds you and your family well.

We welcome back another group of pupils to school on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2020 and are very much looking forward to these pupils returning to school. School will be open every day from 9.00-12.30 and will continue up until Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2020. Please see our risk assessment which will provide details on the practices we have in place to reduce risk at this time: [Click here for Risk Assessment - 01.07](#)

As we progress towards our normal school and educational practices, please note the following:

- Over the next 3 weeks, there will be a move towards an increased educational focus over the 'care-education' package previously provided.
- From Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2020 pupils should wear school uniform (if attending), please ensure uniform is changed daily.
- There will be further personalisation of tasks in Firefly, live learning sessions and in the classroom, which will focus on areas of development for individual pupils.
- Staff will consider targets set in the Autumn Term (found in pupil diaries) when setting tasks in Firefly, live learning sessions and through personalised support in the classroom.
- Speech and Language Therapists will contact the parents of prioritised pupils for remote support (contact the SALT for further details).
- Occupational Therapists will contact the parents of prioritised pupils for remote support (contact the OT for further details).

Following the Government's recent announcement regarding catch-up programmes (including tuition for pupils in Year 10) we are considering various options both for the summer break and for when we open fully, which we hope will be September 2020. We have therefore created a short survey (<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/K8KW9L2>) to assess parent desire for summer places. Parents of Year 7-10 pupils are requested to share your views **by 11am Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2020**. We will ask the following questions:

1. What is your child's name?
2. Are you seeking a summer placement for your child at Woodlane?
  - Yes, I would like my child to attend school during the summer break (please provide further details).
  - No, I would like my child to remain at home during the summer break (preferring 'catch-up' to take place when school fully opens).
3. If you answered yes to question 2, what summer support are you keen to receive?
  - Care based support e.g. summer play scheme.





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- 'Catch up' support e.g. group tuition.
- Other (please specify).

Please note, the information above will be used by the senior managers to assess and plan for our next steps, summer break places are not confirmed, we will review and be in contact soon.

Take care and remember to continue following guidance related to Covid-19.

Yours sincerely

Claire Maynard  
Headteacher

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Tim Heapy  
Deputy Head (Interim Headteacher 2020-2021)

