



Enniskillen Royal Grammar School

Principal: Miss E. Armstrong BA (Hons) PGCE PQH(NI)

31st December 2020

Dear Parent/Guardian

I hope this finds you well and that you and your family have enjoyed a good Christmas together. You will be aware that the Minister of Education made an announcement this morning regarding the beginning of the new Spring Term. In light of this I write to outline our arrangements for the start of term.

- Our Staff INSET Day for Monday 4th January 2021 will go ahead as planned
- Pupils in Years 8-11 will be taught remotely from 5th January 2021 to Friday 29th January 2021.
- Pupils in Years 13 and 14 will be taught remotely from Tuesday 5th January 2021 to Friday 8th January 2021. Face to face teaching in school will resume for them on Monday 11th January 2021
- The arrangements for pupils in Year 12 as outlined in my letter at the end of last term still stand, namely that Year 12 pupils will be working from home from Tuesday 5th January 2021 to Friday 22nd January 2021 except when they have a GCSE module or a mock examination in school. In line with the Minister of Education's announcement, GCSE modules and our mock examinations will continue as planned in a manner compliant with Public Health Advice. A copy of the letter to Year 12 parents is available at the link below.
- In line with the Minister of Education's announcement we will accommodate vulnerable children and children of key workers from the start of term in school. For your information a list detailing definitions of key workers is available in the Minister's announcement on the DE website www.deni.gov.uk; a list of definitions of vulnerable children is available at <https://www.health-ni.gov.uk/consultations/consultation-cross-departmental-covid-19-vulnerable-children-and-young-peoples-plan>
- In order to plan for provision for these pupils within school I would be grateful if you could e-mail us on info@ergs.enniskillen.ni.sch.uk if your son/daughter falls into one of these categories and you wish to avail of this provision. **It would be very helpful for our planning to have this information by 3 pm on Monday 4th January 2021.**

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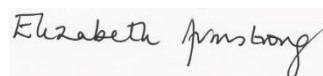
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As more information emerges about the beginning of term we will post further details on our school website www.enniskillenroyalgs.com. If you have any queries or concerns in the meantime do not hesitate to contact me by e-mail on info@ergs.enniskillen.ni.sch.uk. From Monday 4th January 2021 the school switchboards will be also open on 028 66322165 and 028 66322658.

Wishing you and yours a Safe and Happy New Year and looking forward to our continued cooperation in support of our young people in 2021.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Elizabeth Armstrong". The signature is written in a cursive style and is placed on a light grey rectangular background.

Elizabeth Armstrong

Principal