



Wednesday 3rd March 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

As per our letter last week, we are planning that all students return to City Academy from Wednesday 10th March.

On Wednesday, there will be a staggered start for students by year group so we can hold an induction assembly. The timings that students need to arrive are shown below. Please do not send students to school any earlier than the time shown, as they will not be able to enter the building prior to their allotted time.

Students should enter straight into the Theatre. There will be members of staff on duty to show students where to enter.

Year 7 – 8.40am Year 8 – 9.10am Year 9 – 9.40am Year 10 – 10.10am Year 11 – 11.00am

All students will finish at the normal time of 3.20pm. There will be no P7 lesson for Year 11 on Wednesday only.

Please note that CAB+ students will be starting at 8.40am on Wednesday and should enter through main reception as normal.

Year Group calendar Information for the coming weeks

We understand there is a lot of information contained in our letters, so we have produced a calendar of the next few weeks for each year group, which shows what students should be doing each day, and the timings for testing and attending school. You can access these by clicking the link below:

Year 7 Year 8 Year 9 Year 10 Year 11 CAB+

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Testing

Thank you to all the parents who have consented for their child/ren to be tested for Covid 19. The timings are shown on the year group planning letters. If your child is being tested, they need to come to the Sports Hall within the given time slot. Your child will be given a registration card to bring home, to allow you to register their test and receive their official result. However, we would call you straight away, should a test come back as positive.

Home Testing for Students

We are still waiting for more information about home testing kits for students. This will be shared with you as soon as possible. The tests for students will be supplied via school.

Home Testing for Families/Support Bubbles of pupils

The government have announced that rapid lateral flow tests for Covid-19 will be made available to families and bubbles of school pupils as school reopen. These need to be ordered online or collected from locations. These are NOT supplied by school. More information about Covid-19 tests available to households with children of school age can be found <u>here</u>.

Face Masks & Uniform

A reminder to ensure that your child has a mask before coming to school, unless they are exempt. We recommend your child also always carries a spare mask in case they lose or break one. If your child arrives to school without a mask, they will be asked to return home to collect one.

Students are required to be in full uniform from their return to school on Wednesday 10th March.

Thank you for your support and co-operation in these challenging times, if you have any queries, please contact me via the school email address <u>CABinfo@clf.uk</u>

Best wishes

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