



2nd March 2021

Dear Parents / Carers of Year 11 students

Re: Year 11 return to school & lateral flow testing on Monday 8th March

The schedule shows what time students should arrive on the 8th for their lateral flow test. Once students have had their test, they will wait 30 minutes, outside with their form tutor, until their result is known. All students should return to school for their test **in uniform**.

They will then go into a 1-hour tutor session, during which tutors will take students through the expectations for return to school and answer any concerns your child may have. Students will then be free to leave after their tutor session. **The school will resume, as usual, for year 11 students from Tuesday 9th.**

The second test will take place on Thursday 11th March, and their third and final test will be on Tuesday 16th March. A home lateral flow test kit will then be given to year 11 students to bring home and continue weekly testing.

Registration/ Arrive at school	Time slot for Testing	Wait for result of test	Tutor time	Tutor group	Tutor	Tutor Room
10:30	10:45 - 11:15	11:15 - 11:45	11:45 - 12:45	11A	Mrs M Murphy	WP- L30
				11B	Mrs H Suggitt	WP- L29
11:00	11:15 - 11:45	11:45 - 12:15	12:15 - 13:15	11C	Ms S Bamber	WP- L23
				11D	Miss J Atkin	WP- L27
11:30	11:45 - 12:15	12:15 - 12:45	12:45 - 13:45	11E	Mrs D Burfitt	WP- L26
				11F	Miss K Hawes	WP- L25
12:00	12:15 - 12:45	12:45 - 13:15	13:15 - 14:15	11G	Mr J Reuter	WP- L24
				11H	Ms P McCall	WP- L28

When students arrive on Monday 8th at their usual entrance, they will be directed to the test centre (for Year 11 students, this is the Old Gym building). They will be met by their tutor /Head of Year and a register taken. They will then enter the test centre at their allocated time slot and begin the registration and testing process. When they exit the centre, their tutor/Head of Year will wait with them outside until their result is given. The students will

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then be led into the building for their tutor time. Following their tutor time, they will be escorted to the exit to leave.

Please ensure your child has a face mask. They will require this should they travel on public transport too. Face masks are always to be worn when inside the school.

Please ensure you have completed the on-line consent for your child (if under the age of 16 years) to have the lateral flow testing.

Consent form link: [HERE](#)

For your information, this [LINK](#) is a helpful advisory video on how students carryout their lateral flow test.

If you missed the year 11 & 13 Parent Q&A session on Monday 1st March at 3.15pm -it was recorded, and you can watch it here: [LINK](#)

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us info@arkalexandra.org .

Regards,



Liam Collins
Principal

