



Update for parents and carers 3 February 2021

Dear parents, carers and families,

I hope that you are well and managing during this difficult time. Having teenagers and their siblings at home and supporting them to do their schoolwork is a challenge in itself. Thank you for your ongoing support with this. It is very much appreciated indeed.

As you know, our teachers continue to monitor how well your child(ren) have been engaging in online lessons and completing their work.

An open offer of help for pupils

Some of you will have already received text messages and emails from teachers, asking if your child needs help to do the work. Please encourage your child to ask for help, by emailing their teachers. You can also phone the school and ask. Do not be stuck. We are here to help you and your child. We continue to help lots of our pupils overcome barriers and get them up and running with online learning. That is our job. It is what we do.

We want your feedback. Please complete the online survey

We continue to act on feedback from our young people and parents regarding online learning. Many teachers have already made changes to what and how they deliver in lessons, to keep young people engaged in their lessons every day.

Your views as parents are very valuable and enable the school to get it right for your child. Please take some time to complete the online survey on our remote learning. **The survey closes at 6pm on Friday 5 February. This is the link:**

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=8ivvw5gTK0G4I47RiS-LjfSu9DeSY7dPtzEkojCvpjpUNE01UVFVOE1TMjVSSUM0MjVWMDBBWU9XUS4u>

Senior Phase SQA Qualifications

I would encourage you to discuss with your child, their progress through their SQA course work. Teachers continue to deliver lessons and set work online.

It is vital that all young people doing N3, N4, N5, NPAs, Higher and Advanced Higher courses attend all online lessons and complete all of the online work. If there is a problem, please phone the school.

It is what they do now that will enable them confidently to sit and achieve their target grades in assessments, when they return to the school building. Teachers are well through the courses now and there will be little time to go back over course content that has been delivered during lockdown, before assessments take place.

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Jeżeli masz trudności w zrozumieniu języka angielskiego, skontaktuj się na poniżej podany adres:

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The Braeview Larder and school clothes swap shop

This remains open to our families to come and get some free shopping. We also have a uniform swap-shop, full of good quality trousers, shirts, jumpers, sweatshirts and jackets, all for free.

Following the announcement yesterday regarding the possible phased return of Senior Phase pupils to complete work in practical subjects from 22 February, I will be in contact with you, once I have the details.

In the meantime, take care of yourselves and your family.

Ms L Elder
Head Teacher