19 June 2020

Dear Parent/Guardian

Coronavirus

We are at the end of our first week of face-to-face teaching for Years 10 and 12. It has been a joy to watch more students arrive through the gates of BGN. I appreciate the efforts of parents in getting their children to school for these sessions. Attendance has been outstanding and students have gained a great deal from the time they have spent with their teachers. I would also like to thank the parents and students in other year groups, who continue to work from home using the VLE.

Whilst there is still not clarity surrounding what schools will look like after the summer holidays, staff are now in the process of planning for the Autumn term and looking at how we can further support all our students at BGN.

In order to ensure our staff have the time to meet and organise in detail what the curriculum for each year group will look like in September, on Friday 3 July there will be a whole staff planning day. Therefore, there will not be any online lessons set for students on this day. The provision for Key Worker children will continue as normal.

I would like to thank each and every one of you again for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Fraser Long
Principal

"The school's contribution to pupils' personal, spiritual, moral, social and cultural development is exemplary. Pupils go out of their way to do good things. They act as positive role models for younger children." ***Ofsted, June 2017***