



25<sup>th</sup> June 2021

Dear Parents,

Thank you for your patience and support today and this week. As you are aware, we have had a significant rise in the number of positive cases and we have followed the advice provided by Public Health England, the Local Authority, and the Department for Education to determine specific actions for each positive case.

We know that there is a continuing rise in cases across the local area and due to this, we have made the difficult decision to shut the academy to all staff and students on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2021 (for one-day only). This is an interim and precautionary measure, and more information will follow once an emergency multi-agency meeting is held remotely on Monday. This meeting will be between Public Health England, the Department for Education, the local authority, and the academy. Any outcomes of this meeting will be communicated with you via the website and through text message on Monday afternoon.

Whilst face-to-face teaching will not be taking place on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2021, we will be moving to remote learning for the day. This means that your child will be expected to be online (Teams) to meet with their tutor at 8.30am. They will follow their normal timetable online and their day will finish at 3.05pm.

Of course, we recognise that this is likely to be very disruptive for you as parents and carers. I apologise for this and thank you for your flexibility and understanding, your words of support today have been very well received during what has been an incredibly busy and challenging day. I would also like to thank our staff team for their ongoing energy, positivity, and commitment to make the very best of what is a difficult time for all schools.

If you have any questions, please contact [office@kingshurst.tgacademy.org.uk](mailto:office@kingshurst.tgacademy.org.uk)

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