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Mr Jim Roberts- Headteacher

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Yesterday the governments guidance regarding coronavirus changed and as a result we have had to think carefully about the provision across our two sites. This is because of the impact of staff absence and our ability to provide adequate supervision, teaching and learning.

We will therefore differentiate our provision across the two sites from tomorrow – Wednesday 18th March 2020 to maximise our staffing capacity and prioritise students preparing for external exams.

Valley Campus

Year 13 will run as far as possible in the normal way. Students will follow their individual timetables. If staff are absent work will be set for them to complete.

Year 12 should attend school as normal. If they have a re-take GCSE class they will be expected to attend. They will be directed to self-study in the 6th Form centre for all other lessons on their timetable.

Year 7 and 8

Students will need to attend school at the normal times. However, we have planned a range of different activities. Students will not follow their normal timetable. All students will need to line up in their tutor groups at 8.30am on the north playground where they can be registered.





















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Year 9, 10 and 11

We will prioritise staffing to try and ensure lessons and learning continue in the normal way. Students should attend lessons according to their current timetable and timings.

It is difficult to confirm with any certainty whether we will be able to sustain this structure and programme. I will be reviewing the provision at the end of each day taking into account both staff and student attendance levels. Letters and information about the school's response to Coronavirus have been collated on the school's website. You find it by following the link http://www.hovepark.brighton-hove.sch.uk/covid-19

As I have mentioned previously these are challenging times for all of us. The students have responded in a mature, calm and responsible way. I would also like to thank staff for their commitment and professionalism.

Whilst our focus at this difficult time has been on the safety, wellbeing and continued learning opportunities for our students, we have also been thinking about our wider community. Please see the attached letter regarding Together with our Community collection.

Best wishes,

Jim Roberts

Head Teacher



















