

## Phased return to school from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2021

### Behaviour

At TCA our behaviour expectations remain the same as the autumn term with year group bubbles forming the learning community. Pupils are to arrive on site no earlier than 8:10am and enter school building at 8:25am as directed by duty staff wearing face masks ready to start lessons at 8:30am. We continue to follow statutory requirements that students and staff must wear masks where social distancing is not possible inside the school building. We also expect students and staff to wash hands frequently and maintain social distancing whenever possible.

### Uniform & equipment

We expect all students to follow our [school uniform policy](#). Hoodies are not to be worn under blazers. Due to classroom ventilation winter coats may be worn in the classroom. This will be reviewed at Easter. Students need to return with their school issued exercise books and stationary in a school bag.

### Attendance

School attendance will be mandatory and our usual rules on attendance will apply.

As a reminder, pupils should self-isolate and not come to school if they:

- Have coronavirus symptoms or have tested positive.
- Live with someone who has symptoms or have tested positive.
- Are a close contact of someone who has tested positive.

In line with the latest government guidance, pupils who are clinically extremely vulnerable should not attend school. If your child is in this group, they should continue to learn from home until further notice.

### Wellbeing

Lockdown has been a challenging period for all of us, and we'd like to thank you for your continuing support during this difficult and uncertain time. If you or your child have any concerns about returning to school, or if you think your child might need extra support when they return, please get in touch with TCA [Student Services](#).