

29 January 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

We hope this finds you well and that Week 4 of Remote Learning has been positive. At the time of writing this the government's proposed date of 8 March for schools reopening has recently been announced. We await further updates on how this will look and will provide further information on this once we have received it. Our key priority remains staff and student safety with any decisions made having this at the heart of it.

Our provision for students of key workers and vulnerable students continues to run on site. In line with school expectations we are asking that requests for attendance on site are sent to your daughter's Year Leader in the first instance and ask that families do not attend without prior authorisation.

Our Student Surveys are near completion and we are very pleased with the responses. In this week's newsletter we have outlined the results with some action points from us as a school. Thank you for encouraging your daughters to complete these surveys to help us build on our remote learning provision.

If your daughter is unable to attend registration or any live lessons please contact the school office so that her teachers can be informed. Students are also encourage to email their teachers directly to catch up on any work missed.

Over the coming weeks the Senior Leadership Team will also be making contact with randomly selected families across all Year Groups to gather feedback on our current provision. We continue to read out the messages from parents in our weekly staff briefings and are very appreciate of your support. We encourage all feedback and ask that if you have any queries please email [office@windsorgirls.net](mailto:office@windsorgirls.net)

Year 9

The Year 9 Options Virtual Event will take place on Thursday 11 February. This will take place in the form of virtual presentations. Further information will be sent out from Miss Edwards on this.

Year 11

The Windsor Learning Partnership Sixth Form Taster Event will take place over the next two weeks across both schools. Taster Sessions will take place on Thursday 11 February, lessons 3-5 at Windsor Girls' School and between Monday 1 and Friday 12 February at Windsor Boy's School. Mr Arbi has sent a separate email out to Year 11 students with additional information and we ask that you complete the reply slip and return to him by the specified date.

Year 11 DC2 will also be sent out early next week. It will be accompanied by a letter providing further information.

Sixth Form

Our Year 13 students recently attended an Elevate Study Skills session. As an outcome of attending this event all parents are given the opportunity listen to sessions to further support their daughters.

The recording for Elevate's parent webinar on motivation is now available to be watched back on this link: <https://get.elevatecoaching.info/uk/replay>. You can also download a summary sheet of the main points [here](#).

The recording will be available until **9<sup>th</sup> February**, which is when the next webinar is taking place.

The 9<sup>th</sup> February webinar is on **Stress and Wellbeing**, focusing on how to establish and maintain good routines during lockdown, how to manage stress levels, and what to do when stress gets overwhelming. The details are below:

**Managing Student Stress & Wellbeing**

**Date:** Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2021

**Time:** 6:00 – 7:00pm

**Registration link:** <https://get.elevatecoaching.info/uk/register>

Finally we wish you a lovely weekend and hope you have time to relax.

Kind regards

Mr P Griffiths and Mrs E O'Carroll  
Co-Headteachers