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Dear Parent/Carer

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I hope this letter finds you safe and well at this time and thank you for your continued support as the pandemic continues to provide us with challenges. As you will know, the picture is changing on a daily basis across the country and the letter below outlines our plans for the New Year in their current form. Please look out for communication over the Christmas period via our app and website if we need to make amendments. Below are our current plans and messaging for when we return to school as they stand.

## Pupil Lateral Flow testing on return in January

Following the Government's recent announcement that requires pupils to be tested ahead of their return to school after Christmas, we will be running a staggered return to school to facilitate this.

Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January	Teacher training day	No pupils on site	
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> January	Testing for Years 7, 10 & 11	Remote learning for all year groups (apart from when they are on site for testing).	<b>Testing times</b> Year 7: 8.30-10am Year 10: 10-11.30am Year 11: 11.30-1pm
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> January	Testing for Years 8 & 9	Remote learning for Year 8 & 9 (apart from when they are on site for testing). Normal lessons resume on site for Years 7, 10 & 11	<b>Testing Times</b> Year 8: 8.30-10am Year 9: 10-11.30am
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> January	All year groups back on site	Normal lessons resume for all year groups.	

If you have not consented to your child receiving a lateral flow test, please follow the link below. You do not need to complete this form if you have already done so previously.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/DesignPage.aspx?fragment=FormId%3DJjyPPym580nQUQJKG6wb2ufcHT3NS1El4AAsFtUpSdUMU04NIZCOURGRDFYSUE4S0o4TkhGT0pISC4u

## **Remote Learning and information on return**

Pupils will be required to complete remote learning when they are at home as set out above. Pupils must follow their normal timetable and complete work for these subjects around the times they are on site for testing. Please click the link below for more information. We will be sending out further reminders on this on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January. Please note the work is not yet fully available but will be on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> January. Pupils in Years 7, 10 & 11 are required on site for lessons at the normal time on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> January and all pupils will be required back on site on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> January.



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As it is our first day back for pupils in some year groups, we will not be running Golden Time as normal and pupils will finish at 2.30pm at the end of Lesson 5.

## Remote Learning Link:

https://nuneatonacademy.midlandat.co.uk/page/?title=Remote+Learning&pid=57

## Uniform

As mentioned in my previous communication, the expectation is that pupils come to school in their full, correct uniform. Please note we will not be accepting hoodies or jumpers not in line with our policy anywhere on site, and these will need to be put in a cloakroom at the beginning of the day. We have provided a guide below on suitable outdoor wear we will accept, which is essentially coats only and not tracksuit tops or similar. Please also take note of our update on V-neck jumpers which pupils are able to wear underneath their blazer. To support parents, the Academy jumper is acceptable, but we are also accepting a plain black V-neck jumper, which can be purchased from most supermarkets and clothing stores for under £10. PE jumpers are not an option to wear underneath the Academy blazer. As ever, if you need any support with uniform, please do let us know and we will do what we can to help.

May I take this opportunity to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Yours sincerely

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Lara Hall Principal



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