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Dear Parents/Carers

New Department of Education Statutory Guidance for schools in England

I am sure you watched the news over the weekend with interest regarding the new Omicron variant of Covid-19.

The DfE published their updated guidance for all schools in England on Sunday afternoon. Tutors have spoken to students this morning and the key messages will be reiterated to students throughout this week.

The key points are:

1. Face covering are now compulsory for students, visitors, parents and staff in communal school spaces, unless exempt.
2. Face covering are now compulsory on school and public transport.
3. Regardless of your vaccination status or age if you are contact traced by the NHS due to coming into contact with the Omicron variant you will be required to self-isolate for 10 days.

I may receive further guidance and information as the week progresses, as always, I will disseminate to you as soon as possible

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Mark J Eager", written over a white background.

Mark J Eager
Principal