



# HAGLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Year 12 Parents

26 March 2020

I am writing to most importantly send my thoughts and prayers to you all and hope you are well and able to manage your home lives in the current crisis. At school there is a skeleton staff in place and therefore, if there are any anxieties you may have that we may be able to support with, then please do not hesitate to get in contact.

I wanted to say a huge thank you to all the students who are working really effectively from home. The teaching staff are diligently and thoughtfully uploading fabulous work, tasks, activities and learning opportunities for Year 12 students via Class Charts. I know many members of staff are asking for work to be submitted to them and are ensuring that feedback is given in some cases.

Can I please urge all parents to check in with their son/daughter's Class Charts account and ensure that they are keeping on top of the work set. Staff are working really hard to ensure, in this time of crisis, the education of our students can continue as effectively as social circumstance allows. It is imperative that students continue to access Class Charts and submit the work as and when required by teachers. The frequency of this will depend on the nature of the task and subject. If you cannot access Class Charts we can support with setting up parental access for you.

When we finished last Friday 20th March, we advised the students:

1. To keep a regular routine.
  - Get up and dressed before 9am every morning and eat breakfast.
  - Follow your normal school timetable and keep in regular contact with your teachers.
  - Get some fresh air - get some exercise or sit and read outside.
  - Turn off your screens at least 1 hour before bed.
  - Use the resources at the Hagley Wellbeing Hub (under the 'our school' tab on the school website) as needed.
2. To ensure all work logged by teachers on Class Charts is completed. (Students can email teachers directly for clarity if they need).
3. To continue working on their EPQ qualification. (The details of how to do this are attached with this letter).
4. To complete their personal statement for their UCAS university application. (All guidance and support materials are on UniFrog).

If there are any concerns about the expectations outlined above, then please do not hesitate to contact me. We are more than happy to field any queries that you may have.

It will be a tremendous support to the students if you can encourage and sustain motivation to complete the independent work set. We are so conscious that the students must remain skilled, knowledgeable and studious so that when we return from such unprecedented uncertainty we can work together to secure fantastic outcomes for our wonderful young people.

Yours sincerely

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Vice Principal

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Principal

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