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THE CORBET SCHOOL

Headteacher Dr Jane Tinker BSc MA(Ed) EdD NPQH

Dear parents / guardians of Year 10 pupils

As I am sure you are aware, yesterday we had a confirmed case of COVID-19 at school. Having taken advice from Public Health England, Dr Tinker made the difficult decision to close the school.

At this point, we can confirm that the individual who tested positive for COVID-19 was not linked in any way with the Year 10 'bubble'. Therefore, Public Health England advice is that no Year 10 pupils are required to self-isolate.

Unfortunately, due to Public Health England advice, several members of staff who were working with the individual who tested positive for COVID-19 have been instructed to self-isolate for 14 days. As a result, this has left the school in a position where we do not sufficient teachers to be able to run a timetable in school for the Year 10 pupils this week.

In response to being unable to deliver lessons in school this week for Year 10 pupils, we will now move to our remote learning provision in line with the latest government guidance. This will include pupils being set work to complete at home in all their subjects, and Zoom delivery from teachers of English, maths, and science. The exact details regarding the remote learning provision for Year 10 pupils will be posted on Satchel in due course.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support and understanding in these ongoing challenging times.

Yours sincerely

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