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Head of School: Mrs S Crawley BSc (Hons)

9 June 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

As the weeks tick away, Year 11 would, in any 'normal' year be reaching their final weeks in school with us. I know our students have been disappointed not to have been able to experience the traditional events that mark and celebrate the end of their time in school, and the transition to the next stage of their education. At this time, there is no clear way forward and with regret, we will be unable to hold any such event for the foreseeable future.

The formal date for our Class of 2020 to 'leave' school is Friday 26 June. For students moving on to local colleges, there are online learning resources available through the websites of these post-16 providers that students can use to begin to prepare for their new courses. Please encourage your child to have a look, as they may well find interesting resources, pre-reading and other preparation activities.

After 26 June, if you do have concerns about your child's wellbeing or safeguarding, then parents are still able to contact our staff team for advice and support. Please don't hesitate to get in touch if you need us.

For students graduating from 'Kites', individual plans will be in place for our students and, again, the 'Kites' team will provide advice and support about your child's transition if you need to get in touch or have any questions.

The formal leaving date will, in effect, probably feel no different to your child: most of our Year 11 students already consider they have left school and all their courses are now complete. For families, Year 11 students will continue to be entitled to Free School Meals support until the end of term.

Thursday 20 August is the date on which GCSE results will be issued to students. Parents will be aware that schools are, this year, following national requirements for submitting 'centre assessed' grades to the Exam Boards. These grades will be moderated by the Exam Boards and are subject to change, before being confirmed to students. At this time, we expect to issue GCSE grades to students by post, unless there are significant national changes to social distancing measures which mean we can safely bring students on to the school site.

School staff will be available remotely on Thursday 20 August, and in the days that follow, to respond to individual enquiries about students' results and to ensure they are supported with any queries that arise, or with questions about transition to post-16 education. We will provide students and families with more details about arrangements for release of results in due course.

Our plans to provide hoodies for students are well underway and we will be in contact with you once the company producing them is back at work and we have confirmed delivery dates.

On behalf of Governors and the Cape Cornwall Staff Team, I would like to take this opportunity to wish our Class of 2020 every success and happiness in their future and to thank them for their contribution to our school community during their time with us.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "S J Crawley". The signature is written in a cursive style and is underlined with a single horizontal stroke.

Mrs S Crawley
Head of School