



Dear Parent/ Carer,

Senior Phase College Campus Courses

On Tuesday 1 September 2020, the Scottish Government published updated guidance for colleges and universities which has impacted on how our college campus based Senior Phase courses are delivered. The revised guidance states that:

“Schools and colleges should work together to consider first whether remote or blended learning arrangements can be put in place for school pupils, to limit the amount of face to face on-campus learning required.”

And

“All reasonable measures will be taken to implement physical distancing (currently 2metres) - this applies to all parts of the college campus”

The updated guidance means that we have to re-consider how we can teach our pupils to still provide the best learning experience possible. Discussions have been held between Dundee City Council and Dundee and Angus College to agree the best approach for our Senior Phase pupils in line with the guidance.

Some pupils will attend college on a rotational basis and remote learning will be scheduled for when the pupils are not in college. This may be online learning, workbooks, activity packs or a combination of approaches. To minimise loss of face to face teaching time the college are offering an additional hour of delivery for pupils on the afternoons they attend and pupils will be asked when they next attend college if they are able to attend this additional hour.

Some courses, where numbers of pupils allow a 2-metre distancing to be achieved, will continue as normal. In addition, those delivered in schools will continue as they take place in a school setting.

This model of delivery will continue until such time as the guidance changes.

Further information will be shared shortly advising the dates and times each pupil will attend their course at college. Each pupil will receive an email directly to their personal Glow email detailing their scheduled time to attend college. In addition, schools will confirm this with pupils by Friday of this week for the first pupils commencing from week beginning Monday 14th September.

Yours sincerely

Headteacher

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I have read and understand the change to delivery of the Senior Phase College campus model and that young people involved may attend on a rota basis and be provided with online or book work to complete at home on the times they are not on campus.

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