

Angela Ritchie <angela.ritchie1@googlemail.com>

28/5/20

Dear Parent Council

I had a productive meeting with Mrs Allison.

An e-mail is going to be sent to Parents from the School taking in to account the collaboration with the Parent Council.

It will include

- reminder of Head of Houses contact information.
- information signposted for supporting Parents.
- additional support signposted for subject areas.

Minutes 25/05/20

Discussed Pupils levels of engagement. This is monitored by the school and centrally by the Council. Measures are in place to identify pupils who are continually not engaging and support has been put in place. Ways in which the School can feedback to Parents regarding children's progress are to be considered.

Paper copies of text books and where possible e-mailed to Pupils. Parents can ask for this by contacting the School, although this should be kept to a minimum to ensure current government guidelines around contact are adhered to. The school have issued 145 digital devices to students so far and solutions to network issues are being explored by the Council.

Transition is in progress and P7 pupils' parents have been contacted. Teams have been set up with P7 pupils. Mr Small will provide us with a paper copy of a Transition arrangements summery, but consideration must be given to the fact that these arrangements may change dependent on when the Schools return. Please see Transition Document attached.

The School will support Pupils on return to School and are very aware of their anxieties. This will be addressed with the support of the schools counselling service, Your Space.

I advised Mrs Allison that the Parent Council appreciate the work and effort that the staff in the School have given to on-line learning during this unprecedented time. Mrs Allison will meet with me again to further discuss some of the points risen after consulting with the senior management Team and further updates.