



16th November 2020

Dear Parents/ Carers,

It has been a very difficult decision to close Year 8 and Year 10 this week due to the wider impact of COVID.

Subject teachers will be sending work to students to complete using the 365 Teams platform. It is essential that students complete this work if they are fit and able to do so as this learning reflects the curriculum that would be taught in school. They should either hand this in to their teachers on their return or share this with their teacher from home.

Please note that staff were only informed yesterday evening that the decision had been made to close the school to Year 10 students this week. Therefore, please bear with us for today whilst staff navigate their teaching commitments in school with setting of remote learning on 365 Teams. Students should check this platform regularly for updates. In the meantime, they could always access the curriculum maps that can be located on our website. This will help students to identify suitable home learning across their subject range and work independently on this.

If your son/ daughter is having any difficulty accessing this platform, please can you email the following address and outline the issue.

homelearning@castlerocksch.uk

If your son / daughter has a specific question with regards to their learning they should email the teacher directly. All teacher email addresses begin with their first initial, followed by their surname@castlerocksch.uk. Please do be patient when awaiting a response from a teacher.

There is a detailed guide to support parents/ carers with using Microsoft Teams on our website under the home learning section. It can also be accessed directly through this link below:

<https://www.castlerocksch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/Detailed-Guide-to-Microsoft-Teams.pdf>

Should you need any further support, please do not hesitate to contact us.

I would like to thank you for your support with home learning.

Kindest regards,

Mrs Clayfield

Assistant Headteacher

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