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Dear Parents and Carers,

### Coronavirus guidance and contingency plans

As a precautionary measure we have put in place a contingency plan to support the learning of our students in the event of a school closure due to Coronavirus. The decision to implement full school closure will only be taken in exceptional circumstances, under the advice of the Department for Education, Public Health England, Wellspring Academy Trust or in the event that the decisions of contractors dictate this necessary (for example if the school premises/cleaning team were withdrawn from the school by their employer).

If we do have to close the school, we will use the school text messaging system to notify parents in addition to updating our school website and social media platforms. Please ensure you check these regularly.

Website: [www.springwelllearningcommunity.co.uk](http://www.springwelllearningcommunity.co.uk)

Twitter: @springwellLC

We have taken steps to ensure our students can continue to learn if, after following advice from all relevant parties, we need to close the school for a period of time. These are outline below:

- Students in the Alternative Academy will be set work and packs will be arranged to be sent home. The work that the students are set will match their curriculum subjects and coverage and will include revision guides for our Year 10 and Year 11 students that will help prepare them for the examination season.

Where students have access to the internet, the following websites and resources can be used to support learning.

- White Rose Maths - <https://whiterosemaths.com/>
- Twinkl - <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/home-education>
- BBC Bitesize (KS4) - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>

I would like to reassure you that your child's health and safety is our primary concern. This plan is purely a precautionary measure and we will not close until absolutely necessary or instructed to do so by Public Health England.

If you have any concerns, please feel free to contact the school.

Best wishes,



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**Executive Vice Principal - Education**

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