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August 2020

Dear Students

We are really looking forward to seeing you all in September when we re-open to the whole school.

The Government, in partnership with the Department for Education, have issued information and guidance which ALL schools need to follow. Please note that this could change at any time! However, I thought it was important that you received some information about how school will be different when you come back.

The biggest change is that, when you are in school, lessons will be taught in ‘zones’, which will only contain students in your year group. In this pack is a copy of the school site map, with each zone identified by different colours. When you arrive at school you will be asked to wash/sanitise your hands.

You will follow a normal timetable but there will be some changes to practical lessons, in light of Government Guidance (e.g. Food, P.E.). Initially, students will not get changed for their PE lessons and will be required to just bring a pair of trainers to change into for their lessons. The PE department have designed a curriculum around low-intensity, socially distanced sporting activities.

There will also be changes to how break and lunch times will operate, to ensure we are complying with Government guidance. More detailed information about this will be given out in September.

Information regarding the re-integration schedule back into school is below:

Friday 4 September: Years 7 and 12 ONLY

Year 7: Staff will direct students at the school entrance. All students will go straight to their form rooms.

Year 7 Zone: RED - Dance/Drama, History Block and R.E. (Room 11)

7.1	41
7.2	42
7.3	43
7.4	11
7.5	Dance Drama
7.6	19B

Year 12: Mr Keegan and the Sixth Form team will welcome students into the Sixth Form and direct them to their form rooms.

Sixth Form Zone: PURPLE - Sixth Form building (Years 12 and 13 will be one ‘bubble’)

12.1	624
12.2	603
12.3	601



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13.1 615

13.2 605

13.3 617

Monday 7 September: Year 7, 11, 12 and 13 only

Year 7 and Sixth Form students will go to their form rooms.

Year 11 will go to their form rooms:

Year 11 Zone: GREEN - IT/Art block

11.1 Room 23

11.2 Room 24

11.3 Room 25

11.4 Room 19

11.5 Room 19A [check site map, previously Tech workshop]

11.6 Room 26

Tuesday 8 September: Years 8, 9 and 10 only

Year 8 will go to their form rooms:

Year 8 Zone: YELLOW - Science Labs and Media suite

8.1 Lab 1

8.2 Lab 2

8.3 Lab 3

8.4 Lab 4

8.5 Me1

8.6 Me2

Year 9 will go to their form rooms:

Year 9 Zone: BLUE - Main School first floor (MFL)

9.1 Red Room

9.2 Room 14

9.3 Room 15

9.4 ST1 (check site map – top corridor, previously the staff room)

9.5 ST2 (check site map – top corridor, previously the staff room)

9.6 Room 18

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Year 10 will go to their form rooms:

Year 10 Zone: GREEN - Maths and Geography corridor

- 10.1 Room 27
- 10.2 Room 28
- 10.3 Room 29
- 10.4 Room 30
- 10.5 Room 31
- 10.6 Room 32

Friday 4 September will be a Week 1 (Green week). Week commencing Monday 7 September will be a Week 2 (Blue week).

The most important thing on your first day is that you socially distance and follow our school rules. All other information, such as timetables, will be given to you and discussed in form time. We will have a 'walk-through' of what will happen at break/lunchtime.

Please do not be anxious – we will answer any questions you have when you arrive. In the meantime, if your parents/carers have any questions, they can contact the school at headteacher@altrinchamcollege.com.

We look forward to seeing you soon.

Yours sincerely



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