

January 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

This is to give advance notice that the school will be closed for all pupils in Years 7, 8 and 10 on the afternoon of Thursday 28th February. Girls in these year groups will register during period 4 and will be dismissed to go home at 12.35pm. Girls in receipt of a free school meal will be able to have their meal and then go home. All girls in Year 11 will spend their afternoon lessons with their Maths teachers.

There will be no after-school enrichment clubs running on this day.

For girls in Year 9 the afternoon will be devoted to advising them about their curriculum choices in Year 10 and will involve most staff, hence the school closure. Decisions made regarding GCSE and vocational courses are very important ones and we feel it is important that girls have the chance to speak at length with teachers about subjects. The afternoon will be followed by the Year 9 Parents' Information Evening at 6.30 pm.

Sixth Form lessons will continue as normal on all sites unless otherwise notified by subject staff.

If there are any problems with your daughter going home safely at 12.35pm, then please let us know and we will arrange for her to study in the library until the usual end of school.

Yours sincerely

Ms T Nickson and Mr A Wood
Co-Headteachers