



21 January 2022

Dear parents / carers,

This coming week Year 9 have their Mid-Year Exams. We have numerous sporting fixtures, KS4 and KS5 Careers Carousel as well as D.E.A.R. during p3 on Friday. As ever a busy week.

As a school we are participating in the Synod on Synodality as a staffing and pupil body. The questions that Pope Francis is asking us to consider are:

- What does it mean to you to be part of a Catholic community?
- What are some of your experiences of the Church doing something well?
- What are some of your experiences of the Church when things have not gone well?
- What are our dreams for the Church?

I think these are particularly apt for where we find ourselves post-COVID. Do discuss these as a family.

Masks

I promised to update you regarding the most recent government announcement this week regarding the bringing forward of the ending of Plan B restrictions. The main impact that this will have on school is the wearing of masks. Considering the increased levels of cases amongst 4-16 year olds in Luton, **we will continue to wear masks at all times in the buildings at CNS, that includes lessons.** We will then continue to monitor the situation and if there has been any change in our approach I will inform you next week in my bulletin.

Also, please continue to follow advice from the government and Luton Borough Council and test twice per week to mitigate against the spread of COVID in our school community.

As ever have a blessed weekend and week ahead.

Andrew Bull
Headteacher

Uniform

Please check the uniform policy in the student planners so that you are aware of all the high expectations.

Collecting pupils by car

No cars are allowed on site between 3pm and 3.50pm (except where permission has been given in advance). For the safety and welfare of all pupils please support the school in this. If you need to pick up your child by car then wait until after 3.50 or collect them from somewhere close to the school.

Do follow all that we are up to on our Twitter feed [@CNSLuton](https://twitter.com/CNSLuton) we now also have an Instagram account [@CNSLuton](https://www.instagram.com/CNSLuton)

Week beginning 24th January

<i>This is Week 1 on the timetable</i>	
Monday 24th	Year 9 Mid Year Exams
Tuesday 25th	Year 9 Mid Year Exams
Wednesday 26th	Year 9 Mid Year Exams KS4 & KS5 Careers Carousel
Thursday 27th	Year 9 Mid Year Exams
Friday 28th	Year 9 Mid Year Exams D.E.A.R. p3 15.00-17.00 – Headteacher Detention