



Students of SFX

I hope that you and your families are keeping well and I am very sorry that your academic year has been interrupted by this national crisis. We are following government advice and remaining closed to staff and students with some minor exceptions.

I am sure that you are wondering how the latest government directives impact upon the College and I am afraid that nothing is likely to change in the next six weeks. What is becoming clearer is that students who are completing qualifications this summer will not be returning for lessons this academic year. That means that BTEC Level 1, BTEC Level 2 and the second year of BTEC Level 3, UAL and A level students should remain at home while the College submits a centre-assessed grade to the examination boards to ensure that you receive a fair qualification outcome. I shall let you know of any change to this position.

First year A level and BTEC students may be able to come into College for consultations with staff but that is unlikely to happen before the first week of July and there are lots of safety measures which have to be put in place first to make this a safe thing to do for staff and students. Again, this is not confirmed and I shall let you know the latest position as the picture changes.

I appreciate that this may be disappointing for some of you who would like to resume greater normality in your lives but I am sure you will also understand that we must follow the advice to keep ourselves and others as safe as possible.

There will be a way out of this position but we have to be cautious.

My warmest wishes,

Mrs. Flannery
Principal