

16th March 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

Please find below the schedule for the third and final Year 10 Lateral Flow testing being held on Monday March 22nd. In the circumstances we decided it was best to do this before the Year 10 students return to lessons on Tuesday and mitigate against any mixing prior to then. It will be run in exactly the same way as the initial test was completed in the week prior to their return on Monday 8th March. There are some bullet point reminders at the bottom of this message.

Y10 Tutor Group	Test 3
A10-SRS	Mon
A10-SBR	22nd MARCH 8.30am
H10-ZG	Mon
H10-CMS	22nd MARCH 9.15am
S10-JR	Mon
S10-TJJ	22nd March 10am
S10-HJC	Mon
T10 RGP	22nd MARCH 10.45pm
T10-HMP	Mon
T10-LDH	22nd MARCH 12.30pm

I would like to thank the Year 10 students for their patience and understanding in being asked to self isolate for these 10 days. I know this will have been disappointing when other students are permitted to leave their home; albeit within the rules of the current lockdown.

I thought it would be helpful to clarify some useful key points about the schedule for the initial testing and to address some questions that we have been receiving:

- The students must bring a face covering to be worn in the indoor areas. They will be asked to remove this briefly during the test.
- The students do not need to wear their school uniform.
- The students must only arrive for the session they have been allocated in order that we can keep to time. **Please ensure that they do not arrive early for their session.**
- Parents/Carers are not permitted into the building, but are welcome to wait in their cars in the school car park.
- If students have any allergy issues when using the hand gel that we provide, then they must bring their own.
- If students have any cough or cold symptoms they should not attend the site. If this is the case, please contact: jabbott@budmouth-aspirations.org (Medical/Health & Safety Officer).
- By doing this test before students return to school on Tuesday, we have built in the time to ensure this process can be handled sensitively. We also have a trained Medical/Health & Safety Officer on site should he be needed for any reason.
- Once a third test in school has been completed home testing kits will be provided for parents who have requested one.

I hope that this information has been helpful and I am looking forward to seeing the students next week.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mike Hoffmann
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