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Dear Parent or carer,

It has been a pleasure to welcome our students back into the Academy and I am delighted with the maturity shown and how students have got stuck back into their learning.

Students break up for the Easter holidays this Thursday 1st April. Students who have consent should continue to use their Lateral Flow Testing kits over the Easter break. This is only used if your child is not showing symptoms. If your child is showing symptoms, you must book them in for a PCR test. Any positive result from either test must report to the Academy using the email covid@omacademy.co.uk.

Whilst we appreciate that over the course of the next few months, some children will have to isolate, especially with the increase in COVID numbers in our area; when they can, everyone else needs to be in the Academy as we know that that it is the best way that children make progress. The Government are being very strict on attendance. If your child ever has to self-isolate, they can access their learning from our academy website www.omacademy.co.uk and the home page directs you to a link to access the work.

The return date for students after the Easter break is Monday 19th April. As the weather is beginning to feel warmer we will now be reverting to our full uniform policy. If a student wears a coat to the Academy they must not wear it in the building. If students choose to have a non-academy jumper, they must put it in their bag or hand it to reception for collection at the end of the day. Students are welcome to wear an Academy jumper which can be purchased from Uniform Direct when it reopens in April.

I wish to take this opportunity to wish you all a lovely Easter break and students are to return on Monday 19th April, in full correct uniform, by 8:20am through their usual gate.

Keep safe and well.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'C Robson'.

Mrs C Robson
Principal

