



## *City of Armagh High School*

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SRC Update August 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian

The starting date for Occupational Studies classes is **Friday 3rd September**.

All classes will be in the new campus.

Each Friday, pupils should make their way directly to the SRC. Classes will start at 9.30am, so students should arrive no later than 9.20am. On their way to and from the SRC, students should be respectful of the neighbouring community and I would ask that they refrain from congregating in Lonsdale Gardens to the rear of the 'Go Petrol Station'

College staff and school staff will be available to help direct pupils on the first day.

There have been some important changes to the uniform requirements in line with Covid 19 guidance.

**ALL STUDENTS ENTERING THE COLLEGE MUST HAVE A FACE COVERING AND VISOR/OR SAFETY GLASSES.**

In addition to the uniform list sent out in June, students studying in the Engineering or Construction Pathway will be required to have their own HI Viz Vest. It is very important that these are brought to the college every week as failure to do so will result in students not being permitted to participate in class, which will put their chances of passing the course in jeopardy. Please endeavour to have the correct uniform on the first week.

At lunchtime the SRC have insisted that students **do not leave the premises**. This is to reduce the risk of exposure to Covid 19. Please encourage your child to respect this rule, as failure to do so will result in sanctions by the college. Canteen facilities will be available in the SRC at lunchtime. Pupils may wish to bring a snack to eat at break time. Tickets for anyone entitled to a free lunch will be issued on Friday morning.

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Classes will end at 2.45pm and students can make their way home. If your child does return to City of Armagh High School they will not be permitted inside the school building.

Your son/daughter will be informed about what class they are in for both semesters on their first day back. They will also receive an SRC consent form and data capture form and I would be very grateful if you would return these either to me or their form teachers on or before Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me in school.

Yours sincerely

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