

# THE PIGGOTT SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers

Our IT team are preparing for the installation of the new server, which will take place on Thursday morning **after registration**. This will mean we will have no, or very little, access to school IT resources, including Teams, drives, and emails for the rest of the day.

Children should log in to Teams as normal for morning registration and staff will help them start off their day.

We will send out a SchoolComms message with an update on Friday morning, to include if the system is fully up and running. Teachers have planned for Friday's lessons to be offline and so most, or all, will continue with this. Those that can switch back to online lessons, if the systems are up and running, will send communications to their classes.

Thank you once again to all of you who have volunteered to help in our Lateral Flow Testing Centre. It is coming together very well. Mrs Alexander, who has been leading on this exceptionally well, is communicating the return to school arrangements to all parents and children. Students will start on-site lessons the day after taking their first test, or on the day that their year group starts lessons if they are choosing not to take a test. All children will be back on site by Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> March.

OfQual released further draft guidance on Monday afternoon in regard to the awarding of grades this Summer for Year 11 and Year 13 students. We are informed that this will be updated and reissued before the Easter break. The staff are working on their response across, and within, departments, and information to parents will be sent out in the coming days.

Thank you for all your many messages of support. They are very much appreciated by all, and are keeping spirits high.

Yours faithfully

D J Gray  
Headteacher



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