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Principal's Update

Dear Parents & Carers,

cc students

Online learning starts tomorrow at 9 am for students in all years. Please make sure your child is up, ready and logged on in good time.

I know some families have asked for help with laptops - we are processing these requests and will be in touch shortly, but for the time being students can access lessons on a phone or tablet. Missing lessons tomorrow is the same as missing a normal school day, so must be avoided.

Please can all parents watch the following 10 minute video with their child ASAP – ideally this evening. It explains how online learning will work and is essential viewing: https://www.loom.com/share/2f085979d8e8435dbf5cd03498eb854f

As explained previously, a number of students in all years will continue to attend KAA during this period via the "Contingency School". Further details about this, as well as a range of other matters, can be found in the attached FAQ doc. I hope people find it useful.

Please make sure your child checks their email every morning. Individual Directors of Learning will send regular reminders, and copy in parents directly where appropriate. Also it goes without saying that students' behaviour online needs to be respectful, courteous and polite at all times. Any inappropriate behaviour will be addressed in line with our behaviour policies.

Thanks to all parents for their support in making online learning successful – we can't do it without you!

Best wishes,

David Benson Principal

