

Friday 14th October 2016

Dear parents and carers

Friday 21st October

Please be reminded that the school will be closed to students on this date and that the half term break will start at 3.15pm on Thursday 20th October 2016.

Enforced closure following October half term break

As you are already aware the move into the new school building will take longer than the week of half term. To this end, for the week commencing 31st October 2016 students will be set work to complete. Please be advised that students in Key Stage 3 will receive work for English, Mathematics and Science. For students in Key Stages 4 and 5, work will be provided for all examined subjects. Students will record the details of their work in planners; however, parents and carers will be able to consult with the "master document" which will be placed on the school website in the parents' section under "letters". Should there be any queries about the content of the work, please email enquiries@thekings.staffs.sch.uk.

Student induction into the new building and the return to school following the extended closure

To allow students to have an effective induction into the new school, to find their way around and time to receive new timetables etc. the following arrangements have been made:

Monday 7th November 2016

- 08.40am All students from Year 7 and the Sixth Form arrive
- 09.10am All students from Matthew and Mark Chapters arrive
- 09.40am All students from Luke and John Chapters arrive

Tuesday 8th November 2016

- 08.40am All students in all year groups and chapters begin the school day as normal

Access to the new school building will be from our entrance on First Avenue; staff will be on hand to direct everyone to the right place.

I acknowledge that the enforced closure means an extended break for our students. I assure you that in order to make the transition as smooth and as safe as possible we have very little alternative. Should you have any queries or questions please do not hesitate to contact either your child's Chapter Leader or myself.

Once again, thank you for your continued support and cooperation that has helped to make The King's the school of choice in Kidsgrove.

Yours sincerely



Emily Verow
Headteacher

