

## **Reopening plans for Abbeygate:**

- Staff training day is on the 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021 so no teaching is taking place and therefore no students are on site and no remote teaching taking is place.
- Yr 13 students are to remain at home for remote learning from Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> January, returning to College for face to face teaching on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> January.
- Yr12 students are to remain at home for remote learning from the 5<sup>th</sup> January – 15<sup>th</sup> January returning to College for face to face teaching from Monday 18<sup>th</sup> January.
- All remote teaching, for both year groups, will take place via Microsoft Teams and all students are required to join a live Teams session when they are timetabled to do so for their first lesson of the week, for each subject and their tutorials.
- On completion of the first lesson the teacher will inform students how the remaining lessons for the week are to be used i.e. live Teams teaching throughout the week, a mixture of live and set work, small group workshops, 1:1's etc

You may have also seen the plan for mass Covid testing in schools and colleges. We have a dedicated team of colleagues who are currently working on the logistics to ensure this is implemented in readiness for our students return.

**You will be contacted by the team who are rolling out or testing centre early next week with information about how the tests will be carried out and details about the consent forms you will be asked to complete.**

We look forward to welcoming you back to college and send our warmest wishes for a happy and healthy 2021.

**David Gartland**

**Principal**

**Abbeygate Sixth Form College**