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Diocese of Northampton

Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> November 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians,

## Early closure Tuesday 24th November 2020 for Years 7-10 and Years 12-13

During this term we would normally be putting plans into place for our Sixth Form open evening, whereby we would invite parents and current students in year 11 to come along and see what we can offer them to further their education in our Sixth Form provision.

However, due to the current pandemic guidelines, we are not able to do this in the usual way. Therefore, we have decided to operate an early closure for all students not in year 11 on Tuesday, 24<sup>th</sup> November 2020. This will enable the current year 11 students to make their way around the Sixth Form departments in safely distanced sessions to find out more about what is on offer.

Whilst we understand this may cause some disruption to your day and school pick up arrangements. We hope you understand and support our decision for an early closure on this date, as we do all that we can to help our students have access to the options in the best way possible to assist them in making their decision for the next step of their education.

The early closure dismissal times will still follow a staggered approach, and arrangements are being made for the bus to arrive on school site at the earlier time.

## Staggered release times will be as follows:

Year 7 students will depart at 12.30 Year 8 students will depart at 12.35 Year 9 students will depart at 12.40 Year 10 students will depart at 12.45 Year 12 and 13 students will depart at 12.50

Students in Year 11 will remain on site and depart at the end of the day at 3.30.

Best wishes,

Mr Bonner **Head Teacher** 



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