



Monitoring pupils and their wellbeing during partial school closure

Aim

- To provide pastoral support and guidance for Healing School's pupils (the pastoral team will prioritise the most vulnerable i.e. CP, SEN, LAC, PP and those pupils who may be affected during times of uncertainty) but all pupils will be supported by their tutors and the teaching staff.
- To maintain contact with Healing School pupils so that they are able to share worries with the appropriate staff member.

Resources

- The usual internal safeguarding portal for logging all safeguarding concerns.
- Healing Helpers email address so that pupils can contact the school for support if required.
- School social media (Facebook/Instagram) to signpost support from other agencies e.g. school nursing service, Childline, CEOP, etc.
- Google Classroom and Gmail for pupil work and feedback.

The monitoring process

- Once a week, all vulnerable pupils to be contacted by phone:
 - SEND pupils will be contacted by the SEN Team
 - All vulnerable pupils will be contacted by the Safeguarding Team
 - Other pupils who may be affected during uncertain times, will be contacted by a member of the Pastoral Team.
- Learning Coordinators are to support staff and also contact pupils when necessary.
- If deemed appropriate, a member of the Pastoral Team may conduct a home visit with the support of the EWO. Home visits must be a "door step" check by two members of staff who must not enter the property.
- Tutors will make contact with their tutees every fortnight and record this internally.
- Teaching staff will internally record non-engagement with learning or poor behaviour in lessons every week. This will automatically generate a message to parents to inform them to check the School Gateway where they will find more details. This process will be monitored internally and the Pastoral Team will make contact with home regarding pupils causing concern.

Work provision

- Work is provided by the subject teacher for individual classes.
- This work is made available through Google Classroom for all subjects. The school office can provide codes for these subjects if needed.
- Support may be available for individual pupils if required. Pupils should make contact direct to their teacher initially via Gmail / school office. If this is not resolved, parents should make contact with the school office and a member of staff resolve the concern.
- Live lessons will be recorded and neither staff nor pupils are to be shown on camera. There is a pupil and a staff protocol for what is expected during these lessons. This will be shared with all parents and the usual expectations of behaviour apply during these lessons. Parents will be contacted via the School Gateway if behaviour falls below the expected standard.



- Due to the volume of online work, e-safety links will be shared with parents in order to appropriately support their child.

Safeguarding advice

- Facebook will regularly be used to publicise guides and useful agencies for both pupils and parents.
- A specialised section of the website is dedicated to safeguarding, including the school's policy and useful local and national websites.

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