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Dear Parent/Carer

Changes to the Assisi Centre

We aspire for all our pupils to have a choice filled life, making positive contributions to society. In our year group assemblies, we have reminded pupils about the importance of meeting our high expectations for behaviour in lessons and around the College. If a pupil fails to meet these expectations then they may be placed in the College's Assisi Centre as part of our graduated support.

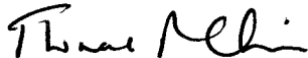
The Assisi Centre provides an environment in which pupils can develop positive behaviours and staff can work with pupils to modify their behaviour in line with the College's behaviour policy. Through this, we aim to equip pupils with the skills to enable them to be resilient and adaptable learners. The Assisi Centre provides a supportive mechanism with high expectations and aspirations for pupils to become more responsible for their own behaviour.

When a pupil is placed in the Assisi Centre during periods 1 to 4, they will remain in the Centre until 3.50pm on that day. When a pupil is placed in the Assisi Centre during period 5, they will stay the following day. This will allow both curriculum and pastoral staff time to work through behaviour concerns with pupils to enable a fresh start when returning to lessons.

Can we ask that you reinforce this expectation with your child as a referral to the Assisi Centre will now result in an extended school day. We will, as always, endeavour to let you know if this applies to your child so that you know to expect them home later than normal from school.

Thank you for your continued support in your child's education.

Yours sincerely



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Executive Head Teacher