



## Sutton Coldfield Grammar School for Girls

13<sup>th</sup> December 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

As we move into the winter and the weather is changing, it is timely to remind all parents and carers of our adverse weather plans. We will prioritise the health and safety of all students and staff when making the decision to keep open or close the school alongside national guidance.

In the event of a partial or whole school closure, parents/carers will be notified via School Gateway, the school website and our social media channels as soon as the decision has been made.

We will also notify the Local Authority who advertise school closures on their website and social media accounts.

### **Remote form time**

If the school has to close due to adverse weather, your child will be sent a Teams invite to a form time meeting with their form tutor to start at 9am. All students are expected to attend this meeting where a register will be called, key information passed on and notices provided. This meeting will run between 9-9.15am. Form time on Teams will take place each morning of any closure due to adverse weather.

All students have an Office 365 account and can access Teams via the link from the student link page on our website. If at any point you need IT support or have any questions about how to access Teams during remote learning, please do contact our IT support service: [Sutton Coldfield Grammar School for Girls - IT Support](#)

### **Study**

Students will be expected to access their learning whilst working from home. This could include:

- Revisiting and consolidating prior learning by reading and making notes from the topics covered so far this term in each subject. The large range of subject checklists on the school website under the curriculum tab can be used to support this work.
- Using Pearson Revise. Within this platform, all students (KS4) can access ebooks for the majority of their subjects and work through these alongside the mini assessment feature within the platform. Students can also create online flash cards using Pearson revise. The link to Pearson Revise is on our website.
- Following the link on our website to our super-curricular offer and exploring the vast range of activities. [Sutton Coldfield Grammar School for Girls - Super-curricular](#)
- Educake has a lot of resources and activities for science.
- Dr Frost maths



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- Practice your musical instrument or revise for a subject.
- Read a book and write a book report.
- A range of subject resource links can be found here: [Sutton Coldfield Grammar School for Girls - Student Links](#)

The above information is to support your child if remote learning had to take place due to adverse weather and the school takes the decision to close. We do hope this does not happen; however, we want to be prepared for any unforeseen circumstances that the weather can create.

Sincerely,

Mrs Downing  
Deputy Headteacher  
Curriculum & Assessment