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BEDFORD HIGH SCHOOL
A Specialist Business and Enterprise College
with Applied Learning
Headteacher: Mr P McCaffery

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Following the latest advice from Public Health England to all schools in the Wigan and Leigh area, I am writing to inform you that we will be reintroducing the wearing of face coverings in communal areas* for staff, visitors and students with immediate effect.

COVID-19 prevalence is high at present, particularly amongst 12-19 year olds and so it is hoped that this additional safety measure should help to ensure that our students can continue to receive education in as normal a way as possible.

This safety measure will not be extended to include the wearing of face coverings in classrooms, but PHE will continue to closely monitor and review the level of COVID-19 in our schools, and will work with school partners to implement further measures as appropriate.

From tomorrow could you please ensure that your child brings a face covering to school.

Thank you, as always, for your ongoing support.

Paul McCaffery

Headteacher

*e.g. in corridors and standing in the Bistro area

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