



15th February 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

I hope this letter finds you and your family well.

As we reach the end of this half term, it is fitting for us to reflect on everything we as a school community; staff, students and parents/carers, have achieved. It has been a busy and productive half term.

We are proud of our students for all their hard work and resilience in completing their online learning. I have seen so many examples of excellent pieces of work, creative ideas and most importantly, students doing the best they can in the circumstances they find themselves in. We are sharing examples of these on our our @WetherbyHigh Twitter feed and our Wetherby High School Facebook page; I would encourage you to have a look. Thank you to our teaching staff for their huge effort in producing engaging and high-quality online work with regular personalised feedback. Thank you also to parents/carers and Coaches for working together to motivate, organise and praise students across the weeks. While we want students to back with us in school as soon as possible, we should remain positive about the progress they are making at home.

We were very pleased to be joined my parent/carers and students at the Year 11 Webinar and at the Year 11 PCE earlier this half term. The feedback from these events has been positive, we are glad to have helped you to feel more confident moving into the months ahead. After half term we are extending our online offer to include some live learning and enrichment sessions across the week. Please find attached to this letter a 'Parents Information -Live Learning' sheet and the Year 11 Live Learning timetable.

There is a break from online learning next week, we hope you manage to have a restful and enjoyable week. I know how challenging the past six weeks must have been for many of you, if you need any support over the next week please contact: info@wetherbyhigh.co.uk.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all again for your ongoing support. It means a lot to staff that you take time share your kind and supportive words with us.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Jefferson'.

Samantha Jefferson
Headteacher