Addendum to Behaviour Policy during COVID-19

All students should continue to follow the expectations set out in Testwood's Behaviour for Learning Policy.

We believe that everyone has the right:

- to feel safe
- to enjoy and achieve
- to be treated with respect and consideration
- to learn/teach without unnecessary interruption
- to be listened to
- to work in a pleasant environment for learning
- to be treated fairly

In classrooms, the students will continue to follow the FOCUS guidelines:

- Face the speaker
- Organised and ready to learn
- Communicate appropriately
- Understand the task
- Sit up, listen and engage

During COVID-19, students must respect the revised day to day expectations of the classrooms and their behaviour in the wider school so that every student and every staff member is safe and teaching and learning is not interrupted.

Students must adhere to the revised timings of the school day as well as the school rules and expectations for entering and exiting the Testwood School site

- Students must stay in their classroom unless directed otherwise
- Students must stay at their own tables in their classroom unless directed otherwise
- Students should only use their own resources and equipment, not interfering or touching any other resources or equipment
- Students must obey social distancing rules at all times, in and out of their classroom
- Students must follow the hygiene rules, including sanitising hands when asked and follow the "Catch it, bin it, kill it" guidance from the NHS
- Students must inform an adult if they feel that they have any of the Covid-19 symptoms
- Students are reminded that the Mobile Phones Policy still applies
- Students will only be allowed to go to the toilet one at a time

Rewards and Sanctions

Achievement Points and home contact will continue to reward students who demonstrate a positive attitude to learning.

In the event where there are incidents which pose a risk to the safety of students and staff, the student will be removed from the class or, if necessary, parents/ carers will be contacted and their child will be collected from school to ensure the safety of themselves and others.

Spitting, physical attacks, persistent refusal to comply with Health and Safety or social distancing requirements that could heighten the risk of harm to others are completely unacceptable and will result in exclusion.

Summary:

Students need to be in lessons as much as possible and need to adhere to school rules.

Due to the staggered timings of the school day, teachers will not be able to run detentions during or after school.

Students will only be removed from lesson as a last resort

Teachers will inform parents/carers of any concerns in their tutor group or in their lessons.

Behaviour Points must be used to record significant concern, providing detail of the incident.

Internal and external exclusions will be used when the student has persistently refused to respond to advice and guidance.

Year Leader will put intervention strategies in place, including internal exclusion

Year Leader will consult with SLT about external exclusion or alternative provision.

Home/School Agreement during COVID-19

I/we agree to the following:

- To send my child into school at the appropriate time, observing social distancing guidelines whilst travelling to and from school
- To ensure my child washes their hands before school and has clean clothes each day
- To inform the school immediately if my child has COVID-19 symptoms and keep them at home and inform the school of any developments
- To continue to support my child with home learning
- To collect my child from school should their behaviour pose a risk to the safety of students and staff