

FAQs for 2022/23 v 1

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Key guidance

- [People with symptoms of a respiratory infection including COVID-19 \(UKHSA\)](#)

Timetable

What timetable will students be following?

All students will attend all lessons onsite, unless they are [positive for COVID-19 or have symptoms of a respiratory infection](#). In those cases, teachers will stream lessons live from the classroom whilst students are self-isolating.

Safety precautions

Do you have an up-to-date risk assessment?

Yes. This is on the [college website](#). We update this if there is a change to the government guidance. Major updates that significantly change the risk assessment are approved by the Chair of our Governing Body and our Health and Safety Officer.

How do you communicate health and safety advice to students, staff and visitors to your site?

We regularly communicate with students, staff and visitors through email, our internal bulletin, SharePoint and meetings. Regular email updates are sent to parents as well and key updates are added to the college website [here](#).

How well ventilated are classrooms and social areas?

All staff will ensure windows and where appropriate doors are left open when rooms are in use to ensure good circulation of air. We are using CO₂ monitors provided by the government to regularly check the quality of air in classrooms and social areas.

If students feel unwell or test positive for COVID-19.

What will the college do if a member of the community exhibits symptoms of or tests positive for COVID-19?

If you have a positive COVID-19 test or have [symptoms of a respiratory infection](#), such as COVID-19, and you have a high temperature or you do not feel well enough to go to college or carry out normal activities, you must not attend college for 5 days (over 18 years old) or 3 days (18 years and under) and try to avoid contact with other people. You can go back to college and resume normal activities when you no longer have a high temperature and you are well enough to attend.

COVID-19 vaccination

How can I get vaccinated?

COVID-19 vaccination is offered to our students at local sites run by GPs or community pharmacies, at larger vaccination centres and in some hospitals. More information on how to get a vaccine can be found on the [NHS website](#) and in the [government guidance](#) for young people.