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Dear Parents/Guardians,

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL – JUNE UPDATES FOR PARENTS

It is positive that vaccination programmes are increasing across the country, whilst the number of cases reduces, we still see some fluctuations. As this remains a concern, I am sure everyone has recently read that school campuses will remain closed; here at MIGS, remote learning continues until the end of term 3.

Year 11 IGCSE Examinations

I am pleased to report the examinations series has reached its conclusion and may I take this opportunity to thank the students and parents for their continued resilience in often difficult times. I am sure we all wish them the best of success in these examinations.

MIGS Curriculum & Supporting Student Progress

As our teaching staff plan for end of year reporting, ***I will suspend online classes on Friday the 18th and Friday the 25th of June.***

For the two effective morning sessions: -

Teachers will be involved in software and staff training focused around online creativity and challenge;

Students will have a rest from potential 'zoom' fatigue and complete outstanding assignments or complete assignments set by the teachers for those two days.

Over the next few weeks' students may also see some different forms of assessment whilst we investigate student progress, remote assessments that are taken online present a specific challenge in terms of academic honesty and integrity of the assessments and the results. Part of the staff training will be analysis of various online assessment systems available.

Parent Portal

Please continue to refer to the portal for any updates, alongside any new guidance for Covid-19 prevention. As information, advice or practices change, updates will be posted on this portal.

As always, I hope everyone remains safe and well as we all continue in earnest to restrict the effects of this pandemic.

Best regards

Mr. JOHN P BIRCH
Principal