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Dear Year 8

First thing's first. I really actually miss you all a lot! What a strange time we are living in at the moment. I know that there are a lot of questions you will have about this situation and unfortunately there will be many that go unanswered. What that means is that we all have a responsibility to prepare ourselves for every potential outcome - whether that is completing your Show My Homework tasks every day; exercising (which is very important); eating as healthily as possible; or even learning a new skill. Remember: "Fail to prepare, prepare to fail".

One thing we do have a lot of right now is time. Please make sure you are making the best use of it and being as productive as possible. This will really help prepare you for when we eventually get back to school. Now more than ever our year group motto is so important. 'Make your bed!' Do the small things right every day and you will feel so much better and set yourself up for a positive day. Work done on time, meals at a set time and most importantly - actually making your bed first thing in the morning. Try to complete all your work on Show My Homework. We will be checking. Also follow a set routine for your school work and read as much as possible, whenever possible. If you have any questions or concerns please contact myself or Mr Arnot, using your school email. Remember to look after yourselves Year 8, both physically and mentally, and I will be in touch soon. Tough times don't last. Tough people do.

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