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INSET DAY JANUARY 4th 2021

Dear Parent / Carer,

As you will have read in the letter from Mr Lindsay Harvey, Corporate Director – Education and Family Support, Bridgend County Borough Council has decided that the first two days of the new term (January 4th and 5th) will now be designated as preparation and planning days in all schools and that learning on the 6th, 7th and 8th of January 2021 will be online, mirroring the arrangements put in place this week. The purpose of these first two days is for schools to assess levels of available staff and their capacity to open the school to all pupils, ensuring that the school is a safe environment for learner and staff alike and to allow teachers to plan online learning for the remaining 3 days of the first week back. Online learning will not therefore be provided on the 4th and 5th of January 2021.

We had, as a school, planned for an INSET day on January the 4th 2021. We have decided to postpone this INSET, in light of this latest announcements, so that we can focus on preparing for the safe re-opening of the school and in planning online learning. We will be reorganising this INSET as a Professional Learning Day later in the Summer Term and will inform you of this date.

I apologise for yet another change to our plans. I hope you will appreciate that this is beyond our control and as a school, once again, I would like to thank you very much for your patience and continued co-operation during such a challenging time for all of us.

Regards,

R.Edwards