



The Sutton Academy
Together Students Achieve

Principal: Mr Paul Willerton

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Dear Parent/Carer

I hope you and your family are well. I wanted to write to you to express my delight with the high engagement students have been demonstrating with their online learning. This is clearly a difficult time, but the resilience your child has shown to rise to the challenge has been fantastic.

Last week we introduced live lessons. Nothing can compensate for your child not being in school, however, we feel that this blended approach of live and narrated lessons is the best way to ensure that you child stays on track with their learning. Please continue to support your child with their studies by encouraging them to log on each morning and follow their usual daily timetable.

This week we will be launching weekly rewards to recognise student's efforts in their work. Rewards include:

- Family Pizza Meal Deal – One family from Year 8 will receive a family pizza delivered to their house
- Treat Boxes – Two students will receive a gift posted to their address each week
- Assembly recognition – Staff are currently nominating excellent engagement and effort in their lessons. Names will be shared during the weekly assembly
- Phone calls home – Staff will continue to make calls home to students demonstrating resilience with their online learning.

We look forward to celebrating your child's success !

Many thanks for your continued support and if you do have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me at the academy.

Yours faithfully

Mr R Hughes
Achievement Leader – Year 8

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