



# Archbishop Tenison's

CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

27 April 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

At the start of our second week of the Summer term, we look ahead to celebrating the school's 306<sup>th</sup> Founder's Day on Friday. We will give you an online link in a few days' time, to enable you to join with us on this important day of the school's calendar.

### **Curriculum**

In the meantime we are continuing to work hard on the curriculum front. We are currently exploring how we can access new DfE money for help with technology, where this is needed. We will also be writing to you on Wednesday with the weekly curriculum update: this week it will include more information on on-line submission of work and also a summary of responses to the recent curriculum survey for parents. As I said in my letter on Friday, these were both encouraging and informative. Thank you.

### **Assemblies**

As you will be aware, we are also seeking to increase pupils' opportunities to hear their teachers' voices, whether that be in lessons or in other ways. We have now started to record daily assemblies, which can be accessed through *Show My Homework*. The theme of these assemblies for the next week is "Ambition", which we thought would be a fitting topic for pupils and students and all of us, particularly during these unusual days.

### **Parent, Carer, Staff and Governor Prayer Meeting**

Tonight's *Prayer for the School* will be held remotely, on *Zoom*, with a carefully prepared order of readings and some space for extempore prayer. If you would like to join us from 8-8.30pm this evening, please contact my PA, Mrs Rathbone by email, [patoheadteacher@archten.croydon.sch.uk](mailto:patoheadteacher@archten.croydon.sch.uk) and she will send you a link and password.

Yours sincerely

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