Dear all,

Throughout the Lockdown/Partial Opening and whatever we describe this current period as, I have tried to communicate to the different parts of the school communities as effectively as possible. This has been extremely challenging to get right and at times we will have been a little slow in getting messages out there or sometimes had to advise of changes to our messages as the national picture has changed.

We reopen fully in the new academic year but these channels of communication are going to be more important than ever.

This week has been an example of our school communities being caught up in a national issue with A level results. The Bradgate Sixth Form serves the whole community by offering post 16 education to students from Wreake, Roundhill and beyond.

As I write this letter, all but one of our students is allocated to the course of their choice. These include young people heading off to study Medicine, Law, Psychology, Education and Engineering as well as a number entering the world of work through apprenticeships. This is a testament to those young people and the families, communities and staff who have supported them to get to this point and who have worked with the school to ensure this outcome.

We have the GCSE results at both Roundhill and Wreake this coming week. We will similarly find ourselves living through something which is also playing out in the press.

Thank you in advance for your support, we will ensure the right messages get to the right people in a timely manner and wish everyone the very best of luck.

As a community of school staff we will be relentless in ensuring that students in our schools receive the very best curriculum mix as we reopen and that all of our stakeholders are kept safe in the process. There has been a huge amount of work going on in the background to make sure that every student at Wreake, Roundhill and Bradgate Sixth Form are able to thrive next year.

Thank you as ever for your support.

Yours sincerely

Tim Marston
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