

Monday 7 February 2022

Dear Parent/Caregiver,

Re: Exemption from wearing a mask whilst at school

In response to your request for your child/children to be exempted from wearing a mask at Norwood International High School, we have implemented a mask exemption card system.

Exempted students are provided with a mask exemption card and asked to carry this with them at all times during the school day. They may wish to keep it in their pocket or wear it on a lanyard.

If an exempted student is approached by a member of staff, we simply ask them to produce their mask exemption card in a respectful manner to show the staff member that they are exempt. Staff have been alerted to the fact that there will be students carrying these cards, and this information is also recorded on Daymap, our Learner Management System.

We would appreciate your support of this initiative and encourage your child/children to keep the mask exemption card with them during the school day. Given the current requirement of the Department for Education that students in Year 7 and above, along with staff, wear masks whilst indoors and in high-risk areas of a school environment, we are working diligently to meet the needs of all members of the Norwood International High School community.

Of course, if issues should arise, our focus will be on a restorative and collaborative process, and we would encourage you to reach out and contact us should you have any questions or concerns.

Kindest regards,



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