



# PRESDALES SCHOOL

*Achievement for all*

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Dear Parent/Carer/Student

## COVID

Students have been given LFTs for use at home, we would ask that students continue to test themselves twice per week. Whilst we have a relatively small number of cases at the moment, some schools are reporting many more cases.

## COVID Vaccinations for 12-15 Year Olds

A reminder, that whilst the school hall has been made available for students to be vaccinated if consent is given, school staff are not administering the vaccinations. These will be given by the NHS immunisation team. Please contact the NHS direct if you have any questions about the vaccination program (01727 732062).

The vaccine information has been sent to all students in Years 7 to 11. We understand that there may be students out of the age bracket; therefore, please disregard the information if this applies to your child.

A letter from HCC regarding the vaccination program can be found [here](#).

## Super Curriculum - Year 7

During the last academic year, we have been working on creating a Super Curriculum for the students at Presdales. To ensure students continue to develop their learning outside of the classroom and become life-long learners, we have created a Super Curriculum that provides tasks, activities and opportunities for students to engage with outside of school. These have been created by subject teachers and designed to complement the curriculum students study in school. It provides students with the opportunity to deepen their knowledge and understanding of a subject, field or discipline that they may have an existing passion with or a curiosity about.

Whilst the completion of Super Curriculum tasks is not compulsory, we highly recommend that every student should engage with an area that interests them. In the Year 7 assembly last week, students were introduced to the Super Curriculum and encouraged to get involved. If you currently have a child in Year 7, please encourage them to go onto our Super Curriculum google site [here](#) and start looking for tasks that they are interested in. We will be developing the Super Curriculum over the next two years to include tasks for all year groups.

You can also find out more information on our school website [here](#). Any further questions should be directed to Mr Payne ([paynem@presdales.herts.sch.uk](mailto:paynem@presdales.herts.sch.uk)) who is leading on the development of the Super Curriculum.

## School Photos

School photos will be taking place on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> September. Students who have PE on this day should come into school in their school uniform and change into their PE kit. If they have had their photograph taken by the time they have their PE lesson, then they can remain in their PE kit for the rest of the day.

## PressTales

Please click [here](#) for this week's PressTales.

I wish you all a pleasant weekend.

Kind regards

Mr M Warren  
Headteacher