

LKI/AMI

1 March 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

### **Lateral Flow Testing**

As detailed in our previous correspondence, we do not have the facilities to test at the UTC. We have been in collaboration with Derby College in order to use their facilities for our students to access a Lateral Flow Test. These will take place at the Hudson building adjacent to the UTC car park.

As Derby College has a vast amount of students, we will need to adhere to their testing programme. The tests will take place for UTC students at **2pm on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> March, Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March and Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2021.**

Due to the logistics of organising student testing as well as maintaining a safe working environment and to continue to support our Critical Worker and vulnerable students, **on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> March and Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March**, students that have consented to a test will **only attend their test appointment** at 2pm at Derby College but will not attend the UTC.

**Year 12 students** will return to the UTC **on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> March** following their normal timetable.

**Year 9 and 10 students** will return to the UTC on **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> March** following their normal timetable.

Critical Worker and vulnerable students will continue to attend as they have been.

Until students return to the UTC as detailed above, they will continue to access virtual learning.

Yours sincerely

*Lee Kirkwood*

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