10 November 2026

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COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Dear Parent/Carer,

Following today's closure of the Cherbourg Campus due to a gas leak, engineers have conducted a thorough site inspection. The repairs that are needed require the gas supply to be turned off, leaving the campus without heating, hot water, or catering services.

As a result, the **Cherbourg Campus will remain closed on Wednesday 11th November 2026 for Years 7, 8, 9, and 10**.

Please review the arrangements below regarding year-group provisions, online learning, school meals and transport.

Year 11 Arrangements

- **Year 11:** Students must report to the **Shakespeare Campus** at 8.30am. Students should make their way to the gym where Miss Wright and Mr Bezant will register all students in the hall.
- Teachers will deliver their normal timetable on-site.
- Timetables have been updated on Arbor to display the relocated rooms for each class. You can view the updated timetable here (Year 11).

Online Learning Schedule (Years 7–10)

Years 7, 8, 9, and 10: Students will learn remotely from home. As the Shakespeare Campus will be at full capacity, we are unable to offer on-site provision for these year groups.

Students in Years 7 to 10 will follow their regular timetabled lessons on Arbor. Each session will include a 30-minute live online lesson delivered by their teacher via Google Classroom.

- **Period 1:** 9:00 AM
- **Period 2:** 10:30 AM – *Live stream of the Remembrance Assembly from Shakespeare Campus (replaces regular Period 2 lesson)*
- **Period 3:** 11:20 AM
- **Period 4:** 1:00 PM
- **Period 5:** 2:00 PM

Free School Meals

If your child is eligible for Free School Meals and requires a packed lunch, please order one using this link (here). Collection will be available from the **Shakespeare Campus Reception** between **11:30 AM and 1:00 PM**.

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Year 11 Transport

School transport will operate as normal for Year 11 students. Vehicles will collect students at their usual times and drop them directly at the Shakespeare Campus.

ARC

Closed to students; online learning will be set up and check-ins will be carried out.

EHCP Students

Will be supported in their online learning by their learning coaches. There will also be a check-in with their key member of staff.

Next Steps & Communication

Once contractors assess the site tomorrow, we will provide a further update regarding reopening. Updates will also be posted on our school website and official social media channels.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

Yours sincerely



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