## Statement from Gravesham Secondary Schools RE: Autumn 2020 Open Evenings

Due to the current Coronavirus restrictions, the following Gravesham schools have decided that all prospective Year 7 Open Day/Evening activities will be taking place online this academic year;

- Gravesend Grammar School
- Mayfield Grammar School
- Meopham School
- Northfleet School for Girls
- Northfleet Technology College
- Saint George's Church of England School
- St John's Catholic Comprehensive School
- Thamesview School

Each school will be ensuring that there are appropriate online resources for parents to view and will establish methods for contacting the school should they wish to ask questions. This means that, unfortunately, no bespoke on-site events such as Open Days/Evenings or Tours will be taking place on school sites for the above named schools this year.

Whilst all schools are keen to welcome prospective parents, we have taken this difficult decision to ensure that we maintain the safest possible environment for our current students and staff. Our key priority this year has to be ensuring safety and supporting students to catch up on any missed learning.

Prospective parents will be able to check the relevant school websites in due course for online open evening information and we will endeavour to provide as much assistance as possible as parents and Year 6 pupils begin the secondary school transfer process.

Mr M Moaby Gravesend Grammar School

Suzane Adums

Mrs S Dickinson Meopham School

Mrs J Partridge Northfleet Technology College

Mr M Baron St Johns Catholic Comprehensive School

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Mrs E Wilson Mayfield Grammar School

Mr C Norwood Northfleet School for Girls

Mr S Carey Saint George's Church of England School

Mr G Rorke Thamseview School