

LANCASTER ROYAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Climate strike – 14th February 2020

A number of our students are involved in environmental organisations and campaigns.

This letter is to remind pupils and parents that we cannot allow pupils to leave the school site for any reason without explicit parental permission, because we are responsible for their care and safety at all times during the school day. We would always treat it as a serious disciplinary offence if a pupil were to leave the school site without our knowledge and their parents' permission.

Any student in Year 10 or above who intends to join a climate strike must have parental permission in advance to leave the school site, and must sign out at Wyresdale House as they leave. Please write to Mrs S. Knight (sknight@lrgs.org.uk), Headmaster's PA, to give notice of your permission if you are allowing them to join the strike.

Pupils in Year 9 or below may join the climate strike only if their parents collect them from school in person and take them to the strike. Please contact us in advance if you intend to do this.

We expect all pupils to be back in school for afternoon registration unless prior arrangements have been agreed with the school.

Any absences to attend climate strike events will be recorded as unauthorised absences from school.

Yours faithfully,

Dr C J Pyle
Headmaster