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Dear Parents/Carers,

Today's letter is timely. It is the last school day before government restrictions ease and we can all take slow and cautious steps towards normality. Most precautions like staggered break times, altered timetables and year group bubbles and more frequent hand sanitising will remain in place.

From Monday 17 May, the wearing of face coverings will no longer be recommended at school in response to updated government guidelines. The only exception is that pupils must continue to wear masks on school transport. All pupils are welcome to continue to wear masks in school if they wish to do so.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our students for following the rules so closely since returning to school and for minimising the risk of a Covid-19 outbreak at Penrice Academy.

### Curriculum Enrichment Week (CEW)

The online brochure for Curriculum Enrichment Week is now available to view online [here](#).

If you have not done so already, please have a look through the brochure and ask your son/daughter to pick three of their favourite options. You then need to complete the [CEW sign up form](#) with your top three choices.

The deadline is Sunday 23rd May and I would like to remind parents that places are not on a first come, first served basis.

### A match to remember

There was a nail-biting finish in this week's football where the Year 8 boys played Falmouth School. The match went down to the wire, finishing 2-2 after normal time. The game was eventually settled with a penalty shootout in which Penrice emerged victorious. A big congratulations to the whole team, especially those who held their nerve during the penalty shootout!

### Your voice matters

I would like to finish by offering you an opportunity to share your feedback. Over the next few weeks, we kindly ask parents to complete the Parent View survey which can be found [here](#). All feedback is anonymised but made visible to the school to help us continue to make improvements to the provision of education at Penrice.

I wish you all a lovely weekend.

Kind regards



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