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Advisory to pupils who travel to China, Korea, Taiwan, Singapore and Hong Kong during Half Term and Easter holidays.

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Following on from the identification of Coronavirus in Wuhan Province, China and guidance from Boarding School Association we advise against student travel to the above areas.

We are able to provide accommodation at our Marylands boarding house for the duration of the Half Term and Easter Holidays at a cost of £50 per night (as outlined in Mr. Perry's letter sent out yesterday).

Should any students wish to travel to China, Korea, Taiwan, Singapore and Hong Kong they will require a 14-day quarantine period before we can allow them back onto school premises. While this may seem overly cautious, the health, safety and welfare of the whole school community is paramount. This is a measure recommended by both the Boarding Schools Association and Public Health England.

If student travel is expected, please provide travel dates, flight details and details of where they are staying for the 14-day quarantine period.

Any questions please contact a member of the Health and Welfare team on medical@battleabbey.school Tel: 01424 772385.

Yours Sincerely

Philip Usher
Deputy Head