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To: Parents & Guardians of Pompeii Trip Students

### **CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) – Travel arrangements**

This is a short message in addition to the most recent letter from the Headmaster. The guidance from Public Health England is such that the trip can proceed as planned. Our destination in the Bay of Naples, is a long way south of the current risk area north of Pisa.

Should Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) advice change we will review the situation, but we are not going to second guess the spread of the virus nor the official advice in advance. **If the FCO advises against travel to the Pompeii area within 28 days of our departure date, the travel company have informed us that they will refund the trip in full.**

Rest assured we will not take any unnecessary risks with your children's health and safety. Among other precautions, we will be urging all participants on the trip to bring along a small container of anti-bacterial handwash and reminding them to use it regularly. Masks will be issued as well, if recommended by government officials and health professionals.

Best wishes

Mr. Philip Usher  
Deputy Head