



7<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Subject: **School Reopening to All Students – Thursday, 8th January**

Dear Families,

I am writing to update you on the status of our heating system and our reopening plans. I am pleased to confirm that the boiler system failure has now been rectified and tested.

As a result, **Yate Academy will be open to all year groups as normal tomorrow, Thursday, 8th January.**

I would like to extend my thanks to our Year 11 and Year 13 students, who attended today and showed excellent focus despite the recent disruption. I would also like to thank all of our families for your patience and support over the last 48 hours. Closing the school is never an easy decision, but the safety and comfort of our students and staff remain our absolute priority.

**Key Information for Tomorrow:**

- **Attendance:** All students in Years 7 through 13 are expected to arrive at the usual time.
- **Uniform:** Standard school uniform is required.
- **Curriculum:** Lessons will resume following the normal Thursday week 2 timetable.

We are looking forward to welcoming the full school community back tomorrow morning. Thank you again for your understanding.

Best regards,

Mr E Rakshi

**Headteacher**

**Yate Academy**