

POSITIVE FEEDBACK

Positive messages from parents and the community

April 2020

Pick up of FSM Lunch Box/Bags - 31st March 2020

I've been meaning to email all week since L picked up his bag of goodies from school, just to thank everyone involved so much for organising this. It was a really kind and thoughtful gesture in the absence of the vouchers and I was really touched by it.

Please would you pass on my appreciation to everyone involved.

Received: 03/04/20

Thank you

Just wanted to take the time to say thank you to all the IGS team - for the last 2 weeks which has been so smooth and painless and helpful for working parents - and also MASSIVE thank you for providing stuff for the next 2 weeks - such a relief to receive this email and kids are interested and secretly relieved too!

Please pass on our thanks to all the team for all their hard work.

Face Visors - Thank You

On behalf of the Practice we would like to thank the staff and pupils at Ilkley Grammar School for your most kind donation of face visors, which we received via Dr Kate Eldred.

This is really most appreciated especially as this allows us to use the PPE you supplied within the Practice and the District Nursing teams, thus further conserving the stocks at the Intensive Care and Covid-19 wards in the hospitals for their clinical staff. Your donation along with many others in the UK to the NHS as a whole is most gratefully acknowledged – you have made a real difference to this very real issue.

Received: 21/04/20

Grateful and impressed

Everyone is working in unprecedented and strange times, but I am very grateful and impressed by how the IGS teaching team have taken on this challenge and adapted so well and effectively.

The professionalism and hard work observed from yourself, and the IGS team is very much appreciated, thank you!

Received: 25/04/20

Home Learning

I just wanted to contact you to express my gratitude to you and all the staff at Ilkley Grammar School for the speed with which you've managed to make the home learning experience so positive and effective for your pupils.

I was sceptical about your being an iPad school in the beginning of year 7, but this seems to have made the transition easier for everyone. The familiarity of the programmes and technology has allowed for what seems to have been an almost seamless transition from in-school to home-school learning. I'm sure you're all like the proverbial swans behind the scenes making it all work and trying to hit deadlines and I'm extremely grateful for all the work being done out of sight. The ongoing support through ClassCharts has also enabled me to keep an eye on my child's learning without appearing to be breathing down his neck. I think he will come out of this with a far greater sense of ownership of his own education than he had before.

Once again may I reiterate my gratitude for the schooling that is continuing and for all the efforts of your staff in making it engaging and interesting.

Thank you

I just wanted to reach out and say thank you to you and the Team at IGS for everything you are doing.

My sister is Head of English at a school in the North East, so I get to hear first-hand, all the planning

Thank you once again our Education Heroes

Received: 30/04/20

Congratulations to you and all your staff for doing such a wonderful job in such difficult circumstances.

We just wanted to drop you an email to say THANK YOU! What you have managed to do, at short notice is fantastic and we are very grateful.

We are of course nervous about the future of our children with them being in Year 10 and 12 (and being boys!) but are reassured by the incredible efforts being made by your colleagues with the array of work and online lessons being set and marked - truly outstanding!
