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Dear Parents,

NSW Health has made us aware that one of our Year 11 students has been diagnosed with tuberculosis (TB) disease. The student has been hospitalised, is no longer infectious and is recovering at home. They will not be returning to the school for several weeks.

As a precaution, staff from the Liverpool Chest Clinic (NSW Health) will be attending the school later this month to perform screening for identified Year 11 students and staff who have come into regular, repeated contact with the affected student.

Identified Year 11 students were handed a package on Wednesday 18 March to take home to their parents. If your child was identified but absent on that day, we will contact you by phone. Screening is free and voluntary, and you are strongly encouraged to give your permission.

Please note: if you have not received a letter or phone call then your child does not need to be screened at this point in time.

Parents who have questions or queries should call the Liverpool Chest Clinic on (02) 8738 4888.

Ms L Barnott-Clement
Principal
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