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Claydon High School continues to be oversubscribed and we are keen to explore future growth alongside our primaries to ensure that local families can access their local 'catchment' school.

The school is returning to normality post-Covid with events, trips and visits but some challenges remain with sickness bugs and germs! We hope the Spring will bring some respite.

We have a number of student initiatives including our School Council, Green Team, Student Leaders and Duke of Edinburgh volunteers. We are always looking for local people or companies who can support the school with related activities or providing careers and work experience so please do be in touch if you can offer some expertise. Likewise our students are keen to support community groups where they can so we welcome reciprocal requests.

A major concern we have currently is the impact of local roadworks, road closures and congestion on student punctuality and attendance. We share parental frustrations when bus routes change or do not pick up students on time, or at all, but we have no control over this and often do not know until a parent contacts us. We would be happy to work with local councillors to make appropriate submissions regarding the A14 and other local roads and the detrimental impact of poor infrastructure on our school and its community.

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