Date: Tuesday 22 February 2022

Dear Headteachers/Principles/Students

## Roadworks in Torbay – starting February 2022

Please find below information on a Highway project taking place from February 2022, which may have an impact on the way you, parents/guardians and pupils reach your destination.

Please feel free to pass on this information to your parents/guardians and those working in the school, college or provision as the roadworks and road closure on Teignmouth Road, from Park Road to St Marychurch Road are starting on 28 February 2022, roadworks and diversion will be in place for up to eight weeks.

Teignmouth Road, Torquay

On Monday 28 February 2022 SWISCo contractor SWH Ltd will be starting reconstruction work on Teignmouth Road, Torquay.

The works will see Teignmouth Road closed to road users from the Park Road junction to the roundabout on St Marychurch. This is so a full reconstruction can be carried out. This will take up to eight weeks to complete.

The footpaths on Teignmouth Road will remain open.

The diversion for this scheme will take you along Westhill Road, turn left onto Manor Road followed by a left onto Fore Street where you can follow the road round to St Marychurch.

Alternatively, if coming from the end of St Marychurch follow the road along to Fore Street, turn right onto Manor Road continue along the road and turn right onto Westhill Road, follow the road until reaching the roundabout where you can join Teignmouth Road.

Please be advised some bus routes may be affected by this road closure. Please see the stagecoach website for more information.

Please think about where you need to be travelling to around this area and if there is an alternative route to get there.

We do not take the decision for closing roads lightly and we apologise for the inconvenience and disruption these works will cause. We will keep you informed on how these works are progressing.

Yours sincerely

Highways Team

**Torbay Council**