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Dear Parents/Carers

We have been made aware of members of our school community who have tested positive for COVID 19.

We know that you may find this concerning but we are continuing to monitor the situation and are working closely with our local Health Protection Team. This letter is to inform you of the current situation and provide advice on how to support your child.

In line with current Government Guidance we are doing all we can to ensure the school remains open; the overarching aim is to maximise the number of children receiving face to face education. If well, your child should continue to attend school.

What to do if your child develops symptoms of COVID 19

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection>

Other information

If not doing so already, we would encourage all adults and secondary school aged children in your household (who have not tested positive for COVID-19 via a PCR test within the past 90 days) to self-test twice-weekly with lateral flow devices. Secondary school children are provided with tests via their schools. Adults can pick up free test kits from many local pharmacies or can order lateral flow kits [online](#).

We also recommend anyone eligible in your household gets the [COVID-19 vaccine](#) if they have not done so already.

You may be eligible for a Test and Trace Support Payment if your child has a positive PCR test result and has to isolate. More details can be found [here](#).

We know this can be an anxious time for parents / carers, so please don't hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions. We have also provided further information at the end of this letter on support available.

Yours sincerely

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