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Confirmed Covid-19 Case

Dear Parent or Carer,

We have been advised by Public Health England that there is a confirmed case of COVID-19 within our school community.

I would like to take time to reassure you that we have taken all necessary actions since hearing this information. The individuals affected are now self-isolating for 14 days and the school has been cleaned appropriately. The confirmed case does not affect any year group bubbles so children do not need to start isolation and should continue to attend as normal following the half term break (unless part of 3M bubble who must continue to isolate).

## How to stop COVID-19 spreading

There are things you can do to help reduce the risk of you and anyone you live with getting ill with COVID-19

- $\cdot$  wash your hands with soap and water often do this for at least 20 seconds
- $\cdot$  use hand sanitiser gel if soap and water are not available
- $\cdot$  wash your hands as soon as you get home
- · cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze
- $\cdot$  put used tissues in the bin immediately and wash your hands afterwards

Further Information Further information is available at https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/



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Symptoms of COVID 19

The most common symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) are recent onset of:

 $\cdot$  new continuous cough and/or

high temperature and/or

 $\cdot$  a loss of, or change in, normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

For most people, coronavirus (COVID-19) will be a mild illness.

If your child does develop symptoms, you can seek advice from NHS 111 at <u>https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/check-if-you-have-coronavirus-symptoms/or</u> by phoning 119.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Yours sincerely,

Miss L Moreton

Headteacher



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