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Dear Parent/Carer

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Re: Covid Update

As you are no doubt aware, from Friday 1st April 2022, guidance regarding Living with Covid 19 changed again. Staff, parents and children are no longer required to carry out lateral flow or PCR tests unless they are following specific medical advice.

As such, adults with the symptoms of a respiratory infection, and who have a high temperature or feel unwell, should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people until they feel well enough to resume normal activities and they no longer have a high temperature

Children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can go back to school, college or childcare when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough to attend.

You may choose to purchase a Covid 19 lateral flow test and if this test result is positive, adults should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 5 days, which is when they are most infectious. For children and young people aged 18 and under, the advice is that they should avoid contact with others for 3 days.

If you do choose to carry out a test on your child which turns out to be positive, could you please let the school office know the test result so that we can monitor numbers and hopefully identify any surge or outbreak.

Yours sincerely

Mrs D Cross

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