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Dear Parents / Carers

If your child experiences any of the symptoms of Coronavirus (Covid 19) they should not be in school. Please call the office as soon as possible to let us know your child has symptoms

You should arrange for a coronavirus test and your child should self-isolate for 10 days from the onset of symptoms. The remainder of your household should self-isolate for 14 days.

If your child receives a negative test result they and your household can stop self-isolating and your child can return to school.

Your child can return to school after the 10 days if they continue to have a cough or loss of sense of smell or taste as these symptoms can last for several weeks after the infection has gone. If after 10 days your child still has a temperature they should continue to self-isolate and seek medical advice.

Symptoms

The most important symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) are recent onset of any of the following:

- a new continuous cough
- a high temperature
- a loss of, or change in, your normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

For most people, COVID-19 will be a mild illness. However, if you have any of the symptoms above, stay at home and arrange to have a test to see if you have COVID-19 – go to [testing](#) to arrange.

For more information please access the Government Guidance:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation-and-treatment/when-to-self-isolate-and-what-to-do/>

It is imperative that all parents comply with the above for the safety of the school community. If you have any concerns or queries please contact us on 02380 731199.

Yours sincerely,

