

28th September 2020

## Dear parent/carers,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your swift response to my email yesterday, stating that we had received confirmation that an individual at school, within your child/ren's bubble group, had tested positive for Covid-19. They presented no symptoms whilst attending school, but in line with public health guidance, I have requested that your child must now enter isolation for 14 days. Staff in the bubble will also self-isolate. If your child develops symptoms themselves within their 14-day isolation period, please follow guidance for households with possible or confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) infection. I thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Whilst your child is self-isolating, there will be remote learning in place to ensure that the disruption to your child's education is minimised. Your class teachers Mrs Wrightson and Mrs Loney have already been posting work on Seesaw and Tapestry as I am sure you have seen and will continue to do so during the two week period. If you have any issues with remote learning, please contact your child's teachers immediately or email admin.

I would also like to take the opportunity to ask parents/carers that when you return to school, to wear face coverings when you enter onto the school site. This is with immediate effect until further notice. It will be permissible not to wear face coverings if there are valid reasons not to. There is no requirement for any of our children to wear face coverings at any time. This still remains your prerogative as parent/carers. Please remember that where possible, only one parent or carer should be on a school site and for the shortest time necessary. Please do not enter any school buildings without prior arrangement. Once you have dropped off or collected your child, we respectfully ask you to leave the school premises immediately.

These remain challenging times for everyone and I hope you can understand the reasoning behind the changes we are imposing. If you have any concerns or queries, please contact the school via telephone or email.

Kind regards and stay safe, Victoria Tippett



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