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4<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Re: Revised COVID-19 measures in schools**

With changes to national guidance taking effect from Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April, we're writing to update you on what this means for COVID measures and our school.

**In summary:**

- adults with a positive COVID-19 test result 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 will be 3 days
- 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
- 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
- Healthy 5 -11 years old are to be offered the COVID-19 vaccine. Vaccinations will take place outside of schools in vaccination centres, pharmacies and GPs and walk-in centres. Parents of 5-11 year olds will receive a letter from the NHS with further information. On-line bookings are open from April.

In school we will continue to encourage good hand hygiene, cleaning regimes and ventilation as part of our continuing approach to limit the spread of infectious diseases.

Once again, we'd like to take the opportunity to thank you for all you are doing to support the school.

Yours sincerely

Mrs L Daveney - Headteacher