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Re: Positive Covid Case – Year 4

Dear Parents and Carers,

I received notification this morning that a positive case of Covid has been identified over the weekend. The child in question is in Year 4.

The guidance in such matters indicates that NHS Test and Trace will now work with the parents to identify close contacts.

Contacts from a school setting will only be traced by NHS Test and Trace where the positive case and/or their parent specifically identifies the individual as being a close contact.

If you are contacted by NHS Test and Trace, they will be advising the close contacts isolate and undertake a PCR test. Please let me know if you are contacted, the guidance that you are given and any outcome of the PCR test. (We would encourage all individuals to take a PCR test if advised to do so.)

As a reminder, individuals are not required to self-isolate if they live in the same household as someone with COVID-19, or are a close contact of someone with COVID-19, and any of the following apply:

- they are fully vaccinated
- they are below the age of 18 years and 6 months
- they have taken part in or are currently part of an approved COVID-19 vaccine trial
- they are not able to get vaccinated for medical reasons

As you'd expect, we continue to work to the guidance around hand hygiene, working within ventilated areas and wearing masks when appropriate to do so to minimise the risk to each other at school.

If you need any further support or guidance, please do contact me at school.

Kind regards,

Headteacher

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