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Dear Parent/Carer,

As we come to the end of our first full week in school, I wanted to write to you to remind you of the procedures to take if your child or anybody in your household shows symptoms of covid-19.

If your child or anybody in your household has any of the following symptoms, then the whole household must stay at home and self-isolate:

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

Guidance for households with possible or confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) infection can be found at:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance>

The following actions should also take place:

- Arrange a test for the person showing symptoms. Please see the link below for guidance on arranging a test.
<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-getting-tested>
- The symptomatic person must self-isolate for 10 days or until a negative test result is returned.
- The rest of the household must self-isolate for 14 days or until a negative test result is returned.

If a child develops symptoms in school, we will contact you and ask you to collect your child, and any siblings, as soon as possible. Your whole household should self-isolate following the actions outlined above.

We understand there are lots of different illnesses children and people get, particularly with the winter months approaching. However, we must follow the guidance provided and the actions must be taken for the three main symptoms identified.

Children who are well enough to attend school, for example have only a runny nose, can still attend school.

I hope you find the information clear, if you have any queries or you are unsure what to do on an occasion then please do contact the school office.

Yours sincerely

D. Pilsworth
Head Teacher

