

14th December 2020

End of Isolation Period

Dear Parent,

Further to our communications last week, the Government announced on Friday 11th December that the isolation period will reduce from 14 days to 10 days.

The last possible date of contact with the person who tested positive within the school was Thursday 3rd December making today (14th December 2020) Day 12. This means that **your child can return to school as normal from tomorrow, Tuesday 15th December.**

The Year 11 bubble area on the Third Floor has been deep cleaned using the anti-viral disinfectant Selgiene Ultra. This is used every day during the evening clean and the rooms have been given additional attention over the last week.

If your child is displaying any symptoms of COVID-19 (*a new continuous cough, a high temperature or, a loss of, or change in, normal sense of taste or smell*) they should remain at home for at least 10 days from the date when their symptoms appeared. Anyone with symptoms will be eligible for testing and this can be arranged via <https://www.nhs.uk/ask-for-a-coronavirus-test> or by calling 119.

Thank you for your patience and understanding. We are looking forward to welcoming your child back to school from tomorrow.

How to stop COVID-19 spreading:

There are things you can do to help reduce the risk of you and anyone you live with getting ill with COVID-19.

- wash your hands with soap and water often – do this for at least 20 seconds
- use hand sanitiser gel if soap and water are not available
- wash your hands as soon as you get home
- cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze
- put used tissues in the bin immediately and wash your hands afterwards

Further Information

Further information is available at

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/>

Yours sincerely,



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