

COVID-19 update

We are continually monitoring and following government guidance relating to schools and covid. Our measures in place to mitigate the risk currently include.

- Ventilation
- Frequent hand washing
- Rigorous cleaning

Full details can be found on our risk assessment on the schools' websites.

Should positive case numbers increase we may decide, if necessary, to implement the contingency [framework](#). This will enable us to introduce additional protective measures and may include:

- introduce face coverings for staff
- revise seating arrangements within classrooms
- limit visits and events such as: residential educational visits, open days, transition or taster days, parental attendance in schools/settings, live performances in schools/settings
- limits to school assemblies and gatherings
- changes to in school/setting social time/breaks
- consider reducing crowding, unnecessary mixing, and allowing additional space between staff and students

Can I take this opportunity to remind you all that if your child is showing any of the symptoms relating to covid, they must not attend school and you must book a PCR as soon as possible. Stay at home until you get the result. The symptoms currently are; a high temperature, a new, continuous cough and a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste.

Please help us to keep everyone in our school community safe.

Best wishes

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