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Covid-19 Update.

Dear Parents and Carers,

All legal restrictions around Covid-19 have been removed.

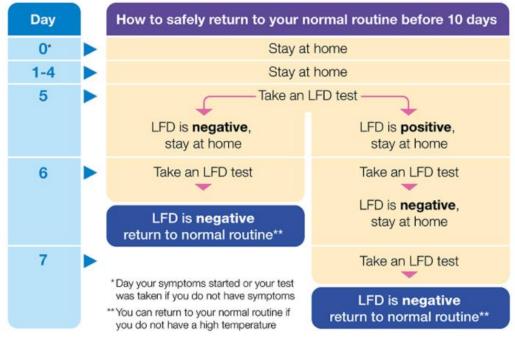
Although there is no longer the legal requirement to self-isolate, we do want to keep our children safe and will ask parents to follow the guidance and keep children away from school if they have any of the Covid-19 symptoms. These are:-

• a high temperature

• a new, continuous cough – this means coughing a lot, for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours

• a loss or change to sense of smell or taste – this means they cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal.

If your child has these symptoms you will be advised to get a PCR test. Your child should not come to school while you are waiting for the results. We will use the following chart to help us advise parents what to do.





If your child becomes ill at school we will phone you and ask you to collect your child. If they have the symptoms of Covid-19, we will ask you to follow Government guidance.

The school will continue to observe good hand hygiene, cleaning regimes, ventilation requirements and other measures to minimise the risk of transmission.

Sarah Owens