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Dear Parents and Carers,

We have been made aware of a member of our school community who has tested positive for COVID-19. This test was conducted using an LFD test and we are awaiting results of a confirmatory PCR test.

This case is within year 8 and following a risk assessment, completed with the PHE, students who have been identified as being a contact of the affected individual have already been told to self-isolate.

All other students should continue to attend school as normal if they are well.

I would like to take this opportunity to continue to urge all our students to keep up with the twice weekly LFD testing.

What to do if your child develops symptoms of COVID 19

If your child develops symptoms of COVID-19, they must not come to school and 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.

Further information is available at:

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection

Yours sincerely

Clare Costello Headteacher

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