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Dear parents/carers,

We currently have a Covid outbreak in school with nearly 20 confirmed cases of Covid (staff and children across a number of infant and junior classes). After discussions with Calderdale Public Health please see important guidance below.

It is likely that your child has come into contact with someone with COVID-19 (please be aware that Y6 pupils are at an increased risk due to last week's residential; please be extra vigilant). As such, Public Health has recommended the following:

- Remain vigilant to symptoms/illness, and act on these in accordance with national guidance
- Keep close contact with others at a minimum, especially the vulnerable
- If your child's feels unwell, please keep them off school and get them tested
- If your child tests positive, keep them off school for 5 full days (test day is classed as day 0) and follow national guidance. They can return to school with a negative LFT on day 6 as long as they don't have a temperature.
- If a child tests positive, please test their school age siblings. Siblings can attend school if testing negative
- Anyone with COVID-19 who does not wish to take lateral flow tests should stay at home for 10 full days.
- Please do not come onto the school premises if you are Covid positive

You can obtain LFD kits from pharmacies or online at www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests.

Please inform the setting if your child tests positive on either a LFT or PCR test.

You should also register LFT results online: www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result

If a child has any of the three main COVID-19 symptoms or tests positive, we can refuse to allow the child into school if we consider it necessary to protect other children and staff.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs E Crowther and Mrs E Logue



“Therefore encourage one another and build each other up.”