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CofE Primary School

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Dear Parent/Carer

We have been advised this morning that there have been two confirmed cases of COVID-19 within our parent body. The classes where their children attend are:

Class NS
Class CM
Class AB
Class RH

We have been advised by Public Health England that as the member of staff in one of the cases (it is her husband who has the positive case) and the children are not symptomatic we are to take no further action. The member of staff works in Class RH and is a playworker in Class AB.

Track and trace will be in touch with the families to follow this up. The families will begin their fourteen days of self- isolation from the first day their parent was symptomatic. Many thanks to the parents for their prompt action in keeping their children off school while they were tested and of course we send them our best wishes for their recovery.

We will of course continue to be vigilant to reduce the further spread of COVID-19 to others in our community.

Please see the link to the PHE Staying at Home Guidance:

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

What to do if your child develops symptoms of COVID 19:

If your child develops symptoms of COVID-19, you should organise for your child to be tested via the NHS online portal or by calling 119.

Your household should isolate until you receive the test results giving the all clear. You should contact school to let us know your child is being tested and then let us know the result of the test as soon as you receive it.

Symptoms The most common symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) are recent onset of:

- New continuous cough and/or
- High temperature
- A loss of, or change in, normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

For most people, coronavirus (COVID-19) will be a mild illness

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 Do

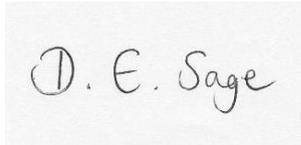
- wash your hands with soap and water often – do this for at least 20 seconds
- use hand sanitiser gel if soap and water are not available
- wash your hands as soon as you get home

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

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

A rectangular area containing a handwritten signature in black ink. The signature reads "D. E. Sage" in a cursive style.

Mrs Dawn Sage
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