

10 March 2020

Coronavirus Update

Dear Parent

I write to inform you that a contact of a student has tested positive for coronavirus and PHE advice is being followed in all respects. Please note that we are bound by rules of confidentiality in this matter, we are not able to share any further details.

The School has taken advice from PHE and the DfE this morning. Advice is clear, in that any secondary contacts of an infected person <u>do not need to take action</u> unless they start showing symptoms. These symptoms are a fever, a dry cough and shortness of breath. Should you, or any of your family, exhibit these symptoms or have any concerns, please call NHS 111 or use the online service and follow the advice given.

We have been advised by PHE and DfE that the School should continue to operate as normal. For your information, I attach at the end of this letter links from PHE that you might find useful.

We thank you for your support at this time, and we are grateful to both parents, staff and students for helping us to maintain a calm and controlled response.

We will continue to monitor the situation diligently and if we have any updates from PHE or the DfE will inform you as appropriate.

Yours sincerely

Philip Wayne Headmaster

NHS information – the first port of call for the public

Latest information and advice

FAQs

Blog about the five things you can do to protect yourself and your community

Public information campaign focuses on handwashing

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