

11<sup>th</sup> February 2021

Dear Parents & Carers

Due to several positive cases in one area of the school to close Year 4 bubble and move to remote learning for the last two days of half term.

Your child has not been in close contact with a positive case and does not need to self isolate - this is purely a precautionary health and safety measure due to the current situation in that area of the Academy. We are having the area deep cleaned today and the rest of the school during the half term as another control.

### **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.

### **Symptoms of COVID 19**

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

- new continuous cough and/or
- high temperature and/or
- 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 Flu vaccination

### **Further information**

Further information is available at

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

As you know, the health, safety and wellbeing of all of our children is our top priority. We have extensive safety measures in place to mitigate against the risk of transmission. This situation serves as a reminder that we all need to remain vigilant, both in school and in the community, and follow the latest Government guidance.

Regards

Mrs Crew  
Oasis Leadership