## **Covid 19- Quick Reference Guide for Parents**

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What to do if	Action needed	Return to school when
My child has Covid-19 symptoms:         High temperature- this means feels hot to the touch on the chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)         A new continuous cough – this means coughing a lot for more than an hour or three or more	Contact the school as soon as possible     Arrange a test     Stay at home along with the whole household, including siblings, until you receive the result     INFORM SCHOOL IMMEDIATELY	The test is negative and your child is feeling well (NB - if your child still has symptoms and feels unwell, it is better to keep them at home until they feel better)
persistent coughing episodes in 24 hours  A loss or change to your sense of smell or taste – this means	WHEN YOU RECEIVE THE TEST RESULT	
you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things taste or smell different to normal Most people with coronavirus have at least one of these symptoms.		
My Child tests positive for Covid-19	as soon as possible and inform the office. Agree an earliest date for possible return. Minimum absence of 10 days required. Self-isolate the whole household for 14 days. Independent Health Risk Asessment Bubble may be asked to self-isolate and remote learning will commence immediately. Your child can return after 10 days even if they have a cough or loss of taste/smell. These symptoms can last for some time.	Return to school after 10 days even if they have a cough or loss of taste/smell. These symptoms can last for several weeks.
My Child tests negative	contact the school Discuss when your child can come back to school (same day/next day)	The test comes back negative.
My child is ill with symptoms not linked to covid-19	FOLLOW USUAL SCHOOL ABSENCE POLICY PROCEDURE	After 48hrs following the last bout of sickness/diarrhoea if this is the cause of absence
Someone in my household has covid- 19 symptoms	DO NOT COME TO SCHOOL. Contact school as soon as possible. Household members must get tested. INFORM SCHOOL IMMEDIATLEY ABOUT TEST RESULTS.	The tests for the whole household are negative.
Someone in my household tests positive for covid-19	DO NOT COME TO SCHOOL. Contact school as soon as possible. Agree an earliest date for possible return – this will be a minimum of 14 days later.	Your child has completed 14 days of isolation and is well.
NHS Test and Trace has identified my child has been in close contact with someone with confirmed Covid-19	DO NOT COME TO SCHOOL AND CONTACT US IMMEDIATELY.  Agree an earliest date for possible return – this will be a minimum of 14 days later.	Your child has completed 14 days of isolation and is well.
We/my child has travelled and has to self-isolate as a period of quarantine.	Do not take unauthorised leave in term time. Consider quarantine requirements and FCO advice when booking international travel.  Returning from a destination where quarantine is needed: Agree an earliest date for possible return. Minimum of 14 days from return date. Self-isolate the whole household.	The quarantine period of 14 days has been completed
We have received medical advice that my child must resume shielding	po Not come to school. Contact school as soon as possible. Shield until you are informed that restrictions are lifted and shielding is paused again.	School inform you that restrictions have been lifted and your child can return to school.
My child's bubble is closed due to a covid-19 outbreak in school.	DO NOT COME TO SCHOOL.  At home, support your child with online learning provided by the school. Your child will need to isolate for 14 days.	School will inform you when the bubble will be reopened.