



ST LUKE'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND VOLUNTARY AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carers,

This morning, we have been notified of a positive case of Covid-19 for a child in our **Year 4 Bubble**. We know that you may find this concerning but we have acted promptly and in accordance with Public Health England (PHE) by informing parents as soon as this confirmation was received and Public Health had completed their risk assessment. As a result, children in Year 4 will remain at home for the rest of this week (as this completes the 10 day isolation period) returning to school on **Monday 28th June**. **This is because the child was last in school on Thursday 17th June.**

Siblings at school are still able to attend as usual and other family members, living in the household, are not affected by the requirement to self-isolate, as they have not been in direct sustained contact with the individual who has tested positive. The household must keep an eye on the child within the closed bubble to ensure that they do not show the signs of infection. If any child does, please follow guidance from 111.

Our bubble approach means that a positive test in Year 4 does not have any additional implications for other year groups.

The purpose of this letter is purely to inform you, as we always have, that a positive case has been confirmed within school.

We know that you may find this concerning but as a school, we are continuing to follow PHE guidance, cleaning within the school environment remains a priority and we continue to reinforce the importance of hygiene and handwashing with the children who are in school.

Please can we remind parents/carers not to send children into school if they are unwell and get a PCR test if a new illness develops (this does not just relate to the typical symptoms).

If your child does develop any symptoms, you can seek advice from NHS 111 at <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/check-if-you-have-coronavirus-symptoms/> or by phoning 111.

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

We thank you for your continued support,

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher

Mrs V Davis
Chair of Governors