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FOR PARENTS/CARERS OF CLOSE CONTACTS OF LATERAL FLOW CASE IN YEAR 11

## **Advice for Student**

Dear Parent/Carer

As part of the home lateral flow testing currently taking place a student within our Year 11 cohort has returned a positive result.

In line with government guidance all positive results from rapid tests undergone at home do need to be confirmed with a standard PCR Test. This is because these tests are not conducted in a controlled environment and will not have trained staff on hand. Whilst awaiting the PCR result, the student and their close contacts should self-isolate.

We have examined timetables and seating plans and have identified that your son/daughter has been in close contact with the affected person.

If the PCR test is negative, it overrides the self-test LFD test (at home only) and students can return to school. We will advise you as soon as we have the confirmed result and if your child can return to school or if they must self-isolate for the full 10 day period.

Other members of your household can continue normal activities provided your child does not develop symptoms.

Yours sincerely

Will Teece

Headteacher