To be emailed to All Years

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: The importance of testing and reporting

Testing continues to play a crucial role, in and out of classrooms, in our fight against coronavirus (COVID-19). Students should continue to test themselves and report results.

Reporting test results can be done simply and quickly, from mobiles, online or by phone, and should be completed straightaway. Reporting not only supports contact tracing in the event of a positive case, but assists our understanding of community rates of infection. Results should be reported to the school via the google form:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSegtGAej0eIfOb4LNLDSFbuUUR2rhoXAg9tS1uMpXWBR 76aKg/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&flr=0&gxids=7628

To help in communicating the importance of testing and reporting, there is a Government blog at https://dfemedia.blog.gov.uk/2021/04/23/heres-why-reporting-your-test-result-is-as-important-as-taking-a-

test/?utm_source=29%20April%202021%20C19&utm_medium=Daily%20Email%20C19&utm_campa ign=DfE%20C19

This covers why reporting your test result is as important as taking a test, featuring further guidance and common questions. This also includes details on financial support available to parents whose children are asked to self-isolate after contact with a positive case.

Kind regards

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