BROOKVALE GROBY LEARNING CAMPUS



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Dear Parent/Carer of Students in Years 7 to 11

Please see message below from the NHS Community Immunisations Team regarding availability of COVID vaccine sessions running over the Christmas Holidays.

As this session is running on the last day of term, if you are able to get a time slot for your child, please inform us in the usual way of when they will be away from campus.

Please be aware that we have been asked to share this information with Parents, but do not have any additional information other than what is below. We do not currently have a date yet of when the team will be back on campus to administer the second dose to students. We will of course share this with Parents when available to.

Glenfield COVID-19 vaccination clinic for 12-15 year-olds over Christmas school holidays

Young people aged 12-15 who haven't yet had their COVID-19 vaccine are invited to come along with their Parent/Guardians to have it at a specialist temporary clinic at Glenfield Hospital during the school Christmas holidays.

The clinic is being held on Tuesday 21 December from 10am – 6pm. Booking is required and can be done so via Swiftqueue using this

link: https://www.swiftqueue.co.uk/pre_timescreen.php?id=\$2y\$10\$WeE48pMxLpzZufbdyjQXnek D.PV2loncUq8cN9TgEBXEmODtT59QC

It is an ideal opportunity for students to get the vaccine if they missed getting it at school, for example because they were absent on the day. Young people who are eligible to get their second dose can also have it at the clinic – so long as they had their first vaccine more than 12 weeks ago.

Vaccinators are all specially trained to work with young people and strict safeguarding protocols will be followed.

The vaccine used will be Pfizer-BioNTech.

Healthy children who have tested positive for COVID-19 need to wait 12 weeks before they can have the vaccine.

Parents and guardians of 12-15-year-olds will need to attend the vaccination with their children so consent can be obtained.

If you would like to understand more about the benefits of young people receiving the vaccine, watch Dr Wadhwa's short video on

YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MCyTl6V9A6Y&t=12s

Young people can find out more about the vaccine by watching our new COVID-19 vaccine facts explainer video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gNeEMgf7zSA

Other vaccination clinics for young people will be available over the school holidays. To find what is available you can either:

- visit the NHS website for walk-ins: https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-covid-19-vaccination-site/
- view the Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland (LLR) #GetVaxxed website, with a full list of walk-ins in the area: https://www.leicestercityccg.nhs.uk/my-health/coronavirus-advice/coronavirus-vaccine/
- visit the NHS National Booking System: https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-vaccination/
- Call the LLR central booking team on 0116 497 5700 who can help you to book an appointment.

Kind regards,

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