

Dear Parents and Carers,

The government is monitoring novel coronavirus and taking action at home and abroad. The risk to individuals remains low though it is important that we share some key messages to minimise any chances of bacteria or viruses spreading.

At Bosworth we continually encourage good hygiene. We have placed additional posters in our toilet facilities to remind students of the importance of washing their hands thoroughly. Please reinforce this at home to prevent the spread of germs.

As always, if students have symptoms of a cold or flu, then there are measures you can take to stop germs:

- always carry tissues with you and use them to catch your cough or sneeze. Then bin the tissue, and wash your hands, or use a sanitiser gel
- wash your hands often with soap and water, especially after using public transport. Use a sanitiser gel if soap and water are not available
- avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands
- If they feel unwell:
 - Stay at home and call school to explain the reason for absence as you normally would
 - Call NHS 111 and if you're worried about their symptoms

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