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RE: Positive case in Ash class

Dear parents

There has been a positive case in Ash class (a child). The <u>guidance</u> states that children are no longer required to self-isolate if they are a close contact and close contacts will be informed by NHS Test and Trace and be advised to take a PCR test (there is no requirement to self-isolate while awaiting PCR test results). Therefore your child can come into school. However I am strongly encouraging all parents to test their child. You can do this using a Lateral Flow test (can take the test twice a week) or by booking a PCR test.

Please remember if your child develops <u>COVID-19 symptoms</u>, however mild they should not come into school and you should get a PCR test for your child.

Kind regards

Tijen Hassan Headteacher