



Public Health England

COVID19 Information

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Dear Parent/Carer

We are writing to notify you of confirmed case(s) of coronavirus in the school which your child attends. Please would you read the following guidance carefully.

Your child has not been identified as a close contact of the person who has tested positive for COVID-19.

If your child is well, they do not need any specific treatment, or to change what they are doing. However, like anybody else during this current situation, you are being asked to monitor their health, looking out for any symptoms such as cough or fever.

What symptoms should I be concerned about?

You should look for any of the following symptoms:

- new continuous cough
- fever (a temperature of 37.8°C or higher)
- loss of, or change in, normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

If your child develops these symptoms, however mild, at any point

You can arrange for your child to be tested via [NHS UK](#) or by contacting NHS 119 via telephone if you do not have internet access.

Your child would need to self-isolate for 10 days since the date of onset of symptoms, and all their household contacts for 14 days, if the test is positive.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-people-with-confirmed-or-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection>

If you need to seek medical advice

Seek prompt medical attention if your illness is worsening. If it's not an emergency, contact [NHS 111 online](#).

If you have no internet access, you should call NHS 111.

If it is an emergency and you need to call an ambulance, dial 999 and inform the call handler or operator that you have coronavirus (COVID-19).