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Another week and more changes to self-isolation rules! Having looked at the new guidance, I would just like to (hopefully) make clear what it says. The government has stated: From Monday 17 January, people who are self-isolating with COVID-19 will have the option to reduce their isolation period after 5 full days if they test negative with a lateral flow device (LFD) test on both day 5 and day 6 and they do not have a temperature. For example, if they test negative on the morning of day 5 and the morning of day 6, they can return to their education or childcare setting immediately on day 6.

The first test must be taken no earlier than day 5 of the self-isolation period, and the second must be taken the following day. All test results should be reported to NHS Test and Trace.

If the result of either of their tests is positive, they should continue to self-isolate until they get negative results from two LFD tests on consecutive days or until they have completed 10 full days of self-isolation, whichever is earliest.

Day 0 of the isolation period is when you first show symptoms or, if asymptomatic, the day you took your test.

https://www.gov.uk/government/news/self-isolation-for-those-with-covid-19-can-end-after-five-full-days-following-two-negative-lfd-tests?utm_source=14%20January%202022%20C19&utm_medium=Daily%20Email%20C19&utm_campaign=DfE%20C19

Although it feels like we have only just come back to school, the next parent consultation evenings are only four weeks away! Once again in view of the current Covid situation, we will be offering telephone appointments. From 6pm on Monday, 17th January, you will receive an email with a link to book your appointment. We use the email addresses from our database so if you have changed yours recently, please

let us know as soon as possible so that we can update our records, thank you.

Our Friends of Arno Vale are holding their next planning meeting on Tuesday, 25th January. This will be held in a socially distanced environment in school at 5.30pm. You are welcome to attend even if you have not been before and we would love to hear your ideas.

If you are a parent of a child in year 3 or 4, you may remember that we are planning on offering ukulele lessons in school soon. We have heard from Instrumental Music Tuition that they will soon be able to do this. Thank you to those of you who have requested a place for their child. If you have not already done so and would like to reserve a place, please get in touch with the school office.

Back in December we had to unfortunately cancel our Christmas dinner due to staff shortages. We think it is a bit late to offer a Christmas dinner now, but we have decided instead to have a celebratory meal for the children in honour of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Although many of the celebrations in the country will be during the summer months, she actually ascended to the throne on 6th February 1952 following the death of her father, King George VI. We are therefore going to have our celebratory Jubilee meal on Thursday, 10th February just before we break up for half term. We will be offering a traditional roast meal and traditional pudding. If, in December, you booked and paid £2.40 for the Christmas meal day only, this will automatically be carried over (it will not appear on your ParentPay account if you have paid) and secure your Jubilee dinner. If you usually book the whole week of dinners, please do this in the usual way on ParentPay. If your child usually has a packed lunch and you did not pay for the Christmas meal, but you would like them to have a Jubilee day dinner only, this



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will appear on your ParentPay account as Jubilee Theme Day and you can book it there.

Thank you to those of you who donated money on Christmas jumper day, we raised £45.36 for Save the Children.

If you have any issues at school and you need to speak to someone, please contact your child's class teacher in the first instance who will try to resolve the issue. The best way is to contact via ClassDojo or email and the teacher will get back to you at their earliest opportunity, thank you.

Please let us know if your child has a head injury whilst not in school. Worsening symptoms can appear up to 72 hours after the injury and so it is vital that we know so we can monitor the individual, thank you.

Community News



Make new friends!
Be part of a team!

Coaches are FA trained
and DBS Checked.

Looking for under 7's, U9's and 11's plus Football School.

Is your child in year 2 (U7's), year 4 (U9's) or 6 (U11's) and interested in football? Do they want to join a new friendly football club or want a 2nd team? We are also looking for additional children for our football school.

Training Details:
Football School, U7's Time: 17:00 till 18:00
U9's and U11's 18:00 - 19:00
Day: Monday
Location: Canonville Coaching, Arnold Hill Academy
Price: £3.00 per session until picked for a team or team created.

Message Nik 07930 842358 or David 07966 449663

Alphabetically by name

