Students are requested to complete TWO tests at home every week with a gap of 3-4 days apart.

Testing is important because you could be carrying the virus and may spread it to others. The asymptomatic tests are easy to administer and the results are available after 30 minutes.

A leaflet (updated Instructions for use, version 1.3.2) has been enclosed with full instructions on how to complete the test. 

PLEASE NOTE: This replaces the blue instruction leaflet within the kit as that is incorrect.

For further details including privacy notice please visit: www.bsfc.ac.uk/studentcovidhometesting
How to report your result

Once you have completed your test, it is vital that you notify both the NHS and the College of your result (positive, negative or void). This needs to be done in **TWO** places:

1. **NHS Track & Trace**
   
   **GO TO:** [www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result](http://www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result)  
   **OR**  
   Hover your phone camera over this QR code:

   You can either register for an account or not, but simply follow the on-screen questions until you see the following:

   ![Registration confirmed]

   **AND**

2. **College Results Register**
   
   **GO TO:** [www.bsfca.uk/studentcovidhometesting](http://www.bsfca.uk/studentcovidhometesting)  
   **OR**  
   Hover your phone camera over this QR code:

   Simply follow the questions and submit your result.  
   N.B. Please use your College email address.
WARNING – the asymptomatic home testing programme does not replace current guidance for those with symptoms or those identified as a close contact of a positive case. Anyone with symptoms, whether they are doing home tests or not, should book an NHS test and follow government self-isolation guidance until the result of their test is known. Testing also does not replace basic preventative measures such as regular handwashing, PPE and social distancing.

If you have any queries, please contact Michelle Suckley, Covid Coordinator and Registration Assistant, at ms@bsfc.ac.uk