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Dear Parents,

Cumbria Academy for Autism Coronavirus update.

We would like to make you aware that we have a couple of members of staff in school who have been advised to self-isolate for 14 days after exhibiting symptoms of the Coronavirus. I would like to express that these are SUSPECTED cases, as they have mainly self-isolated due to a persistent cough. We feel that this is a responsible way to respond as it is incredibly important to us that we safeguard our pupils and staff.

Based on the above information, it is our duty of care to let you decide whether or not to send your child to school. Our school will remain open unless we are advised otherwise, or unless staffing levels decrease to a level that is no longer manageable to work with. Any absences related to this issue will be authorised by the school.

We will continue to seek relevant guidance and will update you as we gain any more information. It is important that if you or a family member falls into one of the vulnerable categories, that you seek medical advice.

Please remain vigilant at these uncertain times and if your child, or anyone else within your family, is displaying symptoms related to the Coronavirus, please phone 111 and seek advice.

Thank you for your support and understanding in this matter. It is a difficult and worrying time for everyone.

If you have any further concerns, please contact the school.

Best wishes,

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Head Teacher