



School News

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SCHOOL DIARY

Friday, 18th September -Year 5 Class Worship

Year 5 class worship will be added to Class Dojo so that parents, carers and other family members can enjoy watching this.

Friday, 18th September - Last Day to return orders to be placed through the school for School Wear

Wednesday, 23rd September - Meeting for Year 6 parents regarding applying to Secondary School at 4.30pm via Zoom

Year 6 parents are invited to a Zoom meeting at 4.30pm on Wednesday, 23 September to discuss the process for applying for a place at secondary school. Please use the link below to join the meeting;

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/75668751600?pwd=S2J1bzBrYzRZQmw2cXZoOG5iMnJtQT09>

Meeting ID: 756 6875 1600

Passcode: DkN3WL

Friday, 25th September -Year 4 Class Worship

Year 4 class worship will be added to Class Dojo so that parents, carers and other family members can enjoy watching this.

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

Guidance if your child is unwell

We thought it might be helpful to produce a flowchart for parents and carers to give guidance on what to do if your child is unwell. I copy of this is attached and will also be available on the school website.

Class Curriculum & PE Lessons

Last Friday you will have been emailed with your child's class curriculum and home learning information for this term. Please can parents make sure their child wears their PE kit to school on PE days. Thank you for your co-operation.

Parking and driving near the school

Please can we ask that great care is taken when driving and parking near the school particularly at the beginning and end of the day when there will be lots of children and parents walking in to school. Please can we also ask that extra care is taken on Wilmott Place and the entrance to Bubbles Nursery during this busy time of the day when there will be very small children arriving or leaving the nursery.

OTHER NEWS

Rule of 6

As you know from Monday, 14th September the government introduced the 'Rule of 6' when seeing friends and family. Further information about these new rules, questions you may have and regulations on venues and other activities can be found at <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-meeting-with-others-safely-social-distancing/coronavirus-covid-19-meeting-with-others-safely-social-distancing>.

PTA News



Thanks to your support it is with great pleasure we are able to announce that the PTA have donated £5000.00 towards laptops for the classrooms. The school has now ordered 16 new & up-to-date laptops which will enable half the class at a time to have their own laptop during ICT lessons. The hope is that we can provide further funds to purchase a further 16 laptops so that the children each have their own during their lesson.

How you can help!

Co-op Local Community Fund

As you may remember, the School was chosen as one of the Co-op Local Community Funds this year. The successful bid was made to improve computing/IT resources at the School. There is just over 6 weeks until the Local Community Fund closes on **Saturday 24 October** and we wanted to let you know there's still time for you to choose the School as your cause, if you are a Co-op member. It is very easy to become a member and to select your chosen cause on line: (<https://membership.coop.co.uk/causes/39945>)

There's still currently £15,023.82 unallocated in our community. The more members that choose our cause, the more funding our project will receive, so please encourage family and friends to support us too. Thank you.

Tuesday, 6 October -AGM followed by Social Get Together via Zoom at 7.30pm

All parents and carers are warmly invited to join us at our AGM which will be held via Zoom on Tuesday, 6 October at 7.30pm. We hope that you will join us, perhaps with your favourite drink and nibbles, so that once the AGM has finished you can stay for a short social meeting giving you an opportunity to meet other parents as well as members of the PTA. Please use the link below to join us;

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/78539323688?pwd=NmRDRUhKcE9EQUh2S1JvbHlxNmIBZz09>

Meeting ID: 785 3932 3688

Passcode: a7706f

Bonfire and Fireworks Night

It is with sadness that we have had to cancel our annual Fireworks display this year because of the current situation. We know this will be disappointing as this is our biggest fundraising event of the year and is enjoyed by many of you. However we have come up with some different, fun ways to fundraise over the next few months and look forward to bringing you further information over the coming weeks.



Slow Down Through Our Village!!

Poster competition

Residence of Eastry village have asked children to design an eye catching poster to warn drivers, car and motorbikes, about the dangers of speeding through our village.

The winning poster will be shown on the cover of the Eastry Village News magazine, and runners up will be displayed around the village to encourage drivers to SLOW DOWN!

Please draw your poster on A4 paper. You can use paints, felt tips or pencils.

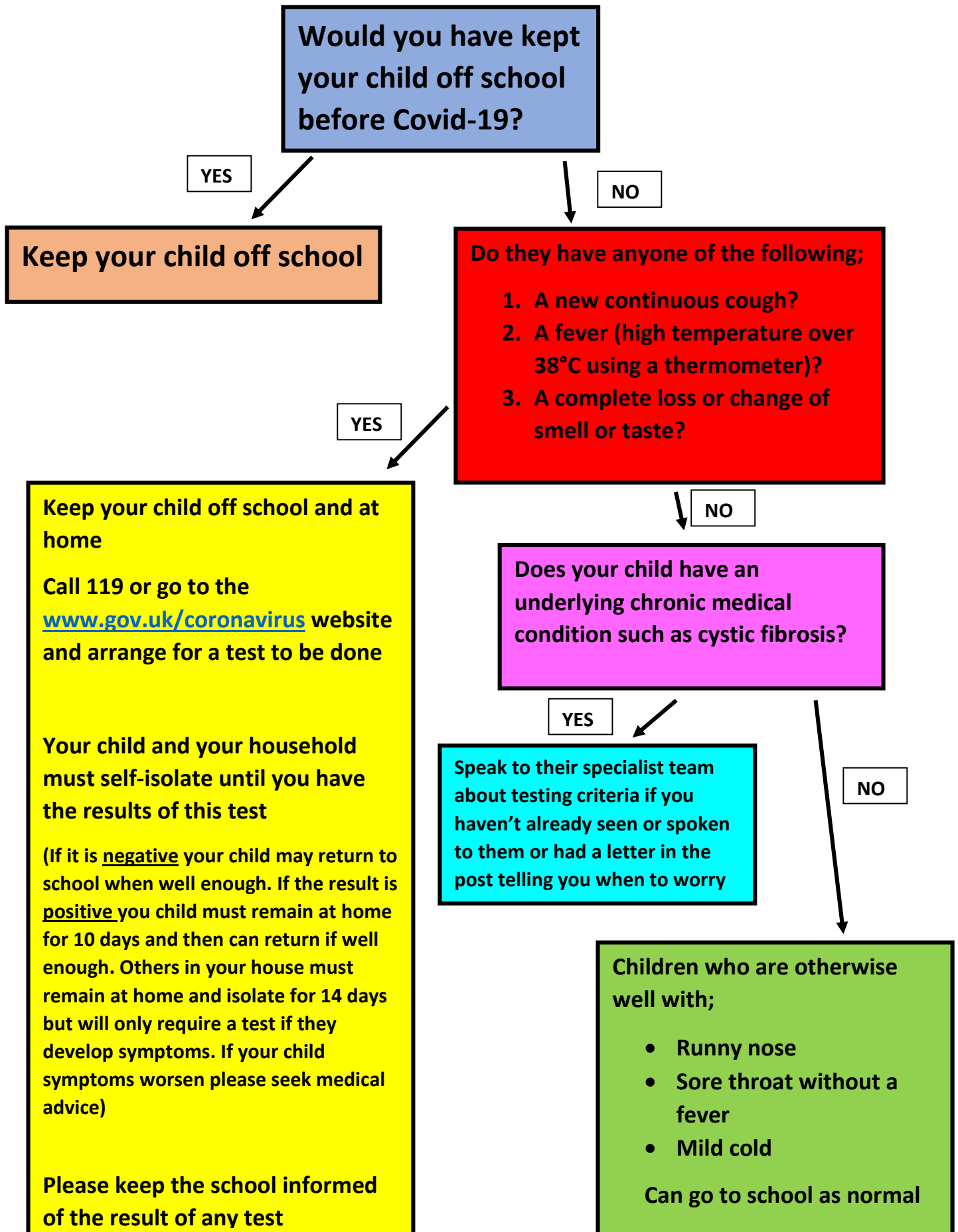
Give your poster to your class teacher and don't forget to include your name on the back

Closing date Thursday, 15th October

Kind regards

Mrs Sarah Moss
Headteacher

A guide for parents/carers when a child is unwell



Please remember to phone the school if your child will not be in and keep us updated daily