

17 March 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

Home Testing Kits (Covid-19)

Your child has been issued with their first batch of Lateral Flow Test (LFT) kits for home testing.

Your child should have four test packs with three tests in each pack (12 tests in total).

We are asking that pupils test themselves on a Sunday and Wednesday evening (the same as Priory staff members) starting on Sunday, 21 March and continue through Easter and beyond. If, for any reason, a test cannot take place on the prescribed day please complete the test on the next available day.

The kits should last for six weeks (two tests per week) and we will provide further kits after Easter once they arrive in school.

In addition to the kits, pupils also have a separate instruction booklet - please use these instructions and ignore any instructions in the box. There are online videos to help with the process and these are listed in the instruction booklet and can easily be found on the internet.

We would ask that all pupils record their results online by visiting the government website whether positive, negative or void. Full instructions on how to log on and create an account are in the instruction booklet.

Please only notify school if you have a positive result. If your child does test positive your child and any siblings must not come into school. In addition, you must report a positive result to the NHS using the online/telephone system noted in the instruction booklet.

Can I thank you for supporting the school with home testing and please do not hesitate in contacting me at n.gee@priory.lancs.sch.uk should you have any questions.

Yours faithfully



Mr N Gee
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