



19 October 2020

Dear parents, guardians, carers

Following the text sent this afternoon, I am writing to inform you that we have been made aware that two students in the Sixth Form have been tested positive with COVID-19.

I know that you may find this concerning, but we have been in direct contact with Public Health, Dorset who have advised that only students that have been in close proximity with these students need to be sent home to self-isolate for 14 days. These students have been identified and parents informed.

There is no requirement for further isolation of students/staff. The school will remain open and your child should continue to attend school as normal. Please continue to support us by conveying the 'hands, face, space' message. Also, please remember the importance too of isolating your child if they show signs of one of the three main COVID-19 symptoms: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/symptoms/>

Please contact your attendance officer to notify us of any absence immediately.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Gray
Headteacher