



Bicton C of E Primary School and Nursery

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Dear Parents and Carers,

URGENT COMMUNICATION – EVERYONE MUST READ PLEASE

We need all of our families to adhere to the following guidance, which we have stressed throughout this term.

Any member of the school community (pupils, staff and other adults) MUST stay at home and MUST NOT come into school/nursery if they: (This includes parents coming to drop off/pick up.)

- Have coronavirus (COVID-19) symptoms or if someone in their household has symptoms.
- Have tested positive for coronavirus (COVID-19) in the last 10 days.
- Are in a household (or support bubble) with individuals who have been tested positive for coronavirus (COVID-19) in the last 14 days.
- Have been contacted through the NHS Test and Trace programme and been advised to stay at home.

Parents MUST <u>arrange a test</u> if you or your child develops symptoms and inform school/nursery of the results.

If the test is positive, follow <u>quidance for households with possible or confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) infection</u>, and engage with the NHS Test and Trace process.

If anyone in the school or nursery becomes unwell with a new, continuous cough, a high temperature or a loss of or change to their normal sense of taste or smell, they will be sent home immediately and advised to follow: <u>Stay at home: guidance for households</u>.

If parents become ill during the day and need to arrange a test, you must inform school/nursery and collect your child immediately. DO NOT send your child in, if you yourself are feeling unwell and you have arranged a test for later that day. If you send your child to school/nursery, knowing that you or a member of your household may have COVID-19 symptoms, you are putting other children, our staff and our families at risk, some of whom have underlying health issues and are at increased risk.

Day in day out, we are doing everything we can to keep all of our families safe and we need everyone to follow these rules.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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Mrs Johnson and the Governing Body