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Dear Parents/Carers

Letter to Parents in Little Nursery

We have advised Public Health England that there has been a confirmed case of coronavirus (COVID-19) in our School, in **Big Nursery**. **This is not within Little Nursery**. This letter is to inform you of the current situation and provide advice on how to support your child.

Please remember that for most people, coronavirus will be a mild illness.

We are monitoring the situation and working closely with Public Health England, following government advice, which is:

- All children identified in Big Nursery have been asked to self-isolate until the 9th July. This is **not** the children in Little Nursery who may attend as usual.

The Nursery School remains open for Little Nursery and provided your child is well; they can continue to attend Nursery School as normal. We will keep this under review.

Lateral flow test device (LFD) Testing:

LFDs are used for testing for people who are showing no symptoms. This is an additional tool to identify COVID-19 cases, contain the virus and prevent its transmission.

Households, childcare and support bubbles of primary and secondary-age pupils and staff can now take twice-weekly lateral flow tests.

Any pupils or students receiving any positive LFD test result should immediately follow the isolation advice for themselves, their household and close contacts and they must seek a confirmatory PCR test.

We all need to remain vigilant by watching out for symptoms of coronavirus. The main symptoms are:

- a new continuous cough
- and/or high temperature
- and a loss of or change in normal sense of taste or smell

If you or your child shows these symptoms:

- do not come to school
- inform the school of the situation
- self-isolate with your household
- book a test immediately

Please remain alert to your child being unwell. The top three symptoms above are more likely to be symptoms of Coronavirus. We have found that many children didn't display the main three signs of Coronavirus; their symptoms were a sore throat, or feeling really unwell, or muscle aches and pains. Presentation of these symptoms is more likely to be a cold rather than Coronavirus.

There are things we can all do to help reduce the risk of you and anyone you live with getting ill with coronavirus:

- wear a face covering unless you are medically exempt
- maintain social distancing
- wash your hands with soap and water often – do this for at least 20 seconds
- use hand sanitiser gel if soap and water are not available
- wash your hands as soon as you get home
- cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze
- put used tissues in the bin immediately and wash your hands afterwards

Further information is available at <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/>

Yours sincerely

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