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Dear Parent/Carers,

COVID CONFIRMED CASE – 3JW

We have been advised by Public Health England that there has been a confirmed case of COVID-19 within the school.

We have followed the national guidance and have identified that your child has been in close contact with the affected child. **In line with the national guidance your child now needs to stay at home and self-isolate for 14 days – we will confirm their return date to school asap.**

We are asking you to do this to reduce the further spread of COVID 19 to others in the community.

Please note: Other members of your household can continue normal activities, including siblings attending school, **provided your child does not develop symptoms within the 14-day self-isolation period.**

Please see the link to the PHE 'Staying at Home Guidance'

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stayat-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection>

Symptoms of COVID 19

The main symptoms of coronavirus are:

- **a high temperature** – this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- **a new, continuous cough** – this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- **a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste** – this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal



If your child or anyone in the household does develop symptoms, you can seek advice from NHS 111 at <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/check-if-you-have-coronavirus-symptoms/> or by phoning 111.

Remote Learning

Now that your child is required to remain at home we will be providing work for your child to complete. Further information will be sent to you in due course.

Free School Meals

Free school meals for eligible families will be available from tomorrow. We will contact you with further details asap. Please note this does not include Universal free lunches for children in Key Stage 1.

Support

We know that this poses a challenge to you as a family and members of the staff team are available to support you. Please call the office or email office@kingsleighprimary.co.uk

Further Information

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

Thank you for your understanding of this extremely difficult situation. If there is any further information/guidance received from Public Health England then I will contact you immediately.

Yours sincerely

Mr J Lumber
Headteacher