

13th November 2020

Dear Parents,

Covid 19 Update

As stated in the correspondence and guidance sent to you yesterday, we have had a positive case in school. We have been in contact with the Department of Education and Public Health and they are happy for the school to continue to remain open, following the measures we currently have in place.

If you have any queries about symptoms or you are in the unfortunate situation of receiving a positive test result I would be grateful if you could contact me directly first to discuss the matter so I can then act upon it as soon as possible.

Please call the school office on (01287) 676210 or E-mail office@stpetersceprimary.co.uk

Home Learning

Please note Remote Learning will be offered to your child at home when we have had notification from you that your child has to self isolate for 14 days.

We are doing our best to listen to your child read as regularly as possible in school. We are without our reading volunteers at present due to the current measures so we would be grateful if you could continue to encourage your child to read regularly at home, to progress up the Harry Potter Reading chart in the school hall. Thank you.

What to do if your child develops symptoms of COVID-19

For most people, especially children, COVID-19 will be a mild illness.

The most common symptoms of COVID-19 are recent onset of:

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

If your child develops any of these symptoms of COVID-19, they should remain at home and arrangements should be made for them to be tested. At that time all other household members must also stay at home, not go to work, school or public areas, even for exercise.

Testing can be arranged by calling 119 or via the NHS website: [nhs.uk/coronavirus](https://www.nhs.uk/coronavirus). When the result of the child's test is known further advice will be available.

Please note your child does not need a test if they have a runny nose, are sneezing or feeling unwell but do not have a temperature, cough or loss of, or change in, sense of smell or taste these are not normally symptoms of corona virus.

Thanks for your continued support

Richard Unthank

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