

3 September 2020

TO ALL PARENTS/CARERS

Dear Parent/Carer

Following advice from Public Health England late this evening, we are investigating a single case of COVID-19 within our academy.

As a precaution we are asking all learners to remain at home tomorrow, Friday, 4 September 2020. Further information will follow tomorrow by email once the investigation has been completed.

Learners will be able to access learning on Google Classroom for each of their lessons.

At this point in time you do not need to be unduly concerned, however should your son or daughter exhibit any of the following symptoms please book a coronavirus test and keep them and any siblings at home until you receive the result:

- 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 three 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.

I realise that this may cause concern, but please be assured that we are going above and beyond the advice we have received from Public Health England to mitigate risk.

Yours sincerely



Mrs J McGuirk
Principal