

Our ref: ljm/KDV/Correspondence

15 December 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

Re. Update

On Monday the government communicated to us the introduction of a new expectation on all individuals (5yrs and over) in education settings:

7x Day Daily LFT Testing:

- If an individual is identified as a close contact of a positive COVID case (of any variant) they should undertake 7x days of daily LFT testing and register these results on the NHS portal each day
- A registered negative LFT result releases the individual from self-isolation (if they are "fully" vaccinated or under the age of 18yrs 6months) which will enable them to continue to attend school, each day.
- If an individual develops symptoms of COVID at any time, or if an individual tests positive on LFT, they should immediately isolate and book a PCR Test. They should remain in isolation for 10 days, unless the PCR test is negative.

Face Masks:

Please remind your son/daughter to bring an appropriate face mask to school every day, unless exempt, plus a spare in case it is misplaced. Thank you.

A few quick reminders:

- One Nepal Non-Uniform Day – Friday 17 December 2021
- End of Term Arrangements - Friday, 17 December 2021 - Half-day Finish at 12:25pm
- LFT Test Tuesday 4 January 2022 - If you have opted for your child(ren) to have a test on site you will be receiving a time slot by the end of the week. If you have not completed the form yet, can you do so by the end of the day today - <https://forms.office.com/r/LrGQQQFFqm>
- Start of Term - Wednesday 5 January 2022 - normal start at 8.30am

Thank you for your continued support.

Merry Christmas!



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