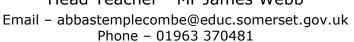


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## **COVID-19 Fact Sheet For Parents (September 2021)**

	What to do if	Action needed	Return to school when
1	My child has COVID-19 symptoms	Do not come to school  Notify the school by 0900hrs.  Self-isolate those with symptoms  Arrange a PCR test for your child and anyone else who has symptoms by visiting https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test  Update the school with any progress and a copy of the results when received	the test comes back negative or a period of 10 days has passed since the symptoms started and the child is well. Cough may linger for several weeks
2	My child tested positive for COVID-19	<ul> <li>Do not come to school</li> <li>Inform the school of the test result</li> <li>Aim to have the child return to school after 10 days unless they remain unwell.</li> <li>Self-isolate and arrange testing for close contacts</li> </ul>	10 days have passed since onset of symptoms, even if they have a cough or loss of taste/smell. And the child feels well.
3	My child tests negative	<ul> <li>Inform the school of the test result</li> <li>Aim to return to school as soon as the child is well enough</li> </ul>	the test comes back negative.
4	My child is unwell with symptoms not related to COVID-19	Do not come to school Inform the school by 0900hrs Return to school as soon as child is well enough.	In cases of diarrhoea or vomiting; after 48 hours following the last bout of either symptom.
5	Someone in the household has COVID-19 symptoms	Child can continue to attend school as long as they are symptom free Inform the school by 0900hrs Positive case must isolate for 10 days. Arrange a PCR test for close contacts eg. your child. Update school with a copy of the test results	The child can continue to attend school
6	Someone in the household tests positive	Child can continue to attend school as long as they are symptom free  Inform the school by 0900hrs  Positive case must self-isolate for 10 days  Arrange a PCR test for close contacts eg. your child.	The child can continue to attend school
7	NHS test and trace has identified my child as a close contact of somebody with symptoms or confirmed COVID-19	Child can continue to attend school as long as they are symptom free  Inform the school by 0900hrs  Arrange a PCR test and continue to attend school.  Update school with a copy of the test results.  If result is positive, see 2 above.	The child can continue to attend school
8	NHS test and trace has identified a household member (other than the child) as a close contact of somebody with symptoms or confirmed COVID-19	<ul> <li>Child can continue to attend school as long as they are symptom free</li> <li>Household member to arrange PCR test but does not need to isolate until result is received/if they test positive.</li> <li>the child can still attend school</li> </ul>	The child can continue to attend school

Please note: Lateral Flow Tests are not effective once symptoms are present.