

Dear Parent/Carer,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support in what has been a challenging period. I continue to be impressed by the attitude and maturity of our students and look forward to welcoming them back on Monday 2 November.

Ahead of the half term break, please see details below regarding the process for informing us of a confirmed Covid-19 case where the positive test outcome is received by a child who attends our academy.

Outside school hours and during the October half term

Please email <u>office@holderness.academy</u>. Please include your child's name and form group and a contact telephone number.

Please also be aware of the current government guidelines shown below.

Anyone with coronavirus symptoms can get a test. Coronavirus symptoms are:

- a high temperature
- a new, continuous cough
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste

To book a test please go to <u>https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test</u>. You do not need to get a test if you have no symptoms or if you have different symptoms.

If you are getting a test because you have symptoms, you and anyone you live with must selfisolate until you get your result. You must also self-isolate if you cannot get a test.

It's a legal requirement to self-isolate if you test positive or are told to self-isolate by NHS Test and Trace. You could be fined if you do not self-isolate.

Yours faithfully,

Mr S Wilson Headteacher



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