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10<sup>th</sup> February 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

### **Advice for Children - close contacts of positive COVID-19 cases**

We have been advised that there has been a small number of confirmed cases of COVID-19 within Big Nursery.

If your child attended Big Nursery from Friday of last week, we have identified that your child may have been in close contact with the affected cases. In line with Local Government Guidance:

- Locally, for early years settings we are recommending a PCR test for close contacts as well as regular LFT testing (if acceptable to parents). If your child has no symptoms, they can still attend Little Nursery whilst awaiting their PCR result.  
<https://schools.warwickshire.gov.uk/coronavirus/national-local-position>
- Should the PCR yield a positive result, we would ask that you isolate and follow national "Stay at Home" guidance:  
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance>

**Although there has not been any update to the national definition of COVID-19 symptoms (cough, high temperature, loss/change in taste/smell), if COVID-19 is circulating in the school please also be mindful of the wider symptoms of COVID-19 which are sore throat, headache, fatigue, muscle aches, blocked/runny nose, shortness of breath, diarrhoea and vomiting, and cold-like symptoms. Anyone with COVID-19 symptoms should isolate and book a PCR test.**

We are asking you to do this to reduce the further spread of COVID 19 to others in the community. If you need support with isolation, please contact Warwickshire County Council on 0800 408 1447.

For information regarding access to lateral flow tests see:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/testing/regular-rapidcoronavirus-tests-if-you-do-not-have-symptoms/>

PCR Testing can be arranged by calling 119 or online: <https://www.gov.uk/getcoronavirus-test>

## Further information

Further information is available at: [www.nhs.uk/coronavirus](http://www.nhs.uk/coronavirus)

Because of the positive cases of COVID-19, we will activate our Outbreak Management Plan, which will be reviewed on **Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2022**. Further mitigations for this include:

- Little Nursery and Big Nursery will once again operate as separate bubbles
- Visitors to the Nursery School will be limited
- Parents are again, advised to wear a face covering onsite unless they are medically exempt.

As always, please do not send your child to school if they are at all unwell.

Come and see my classroom events next week will continue to take place, although this may be subject to change. Parents/Carers who attend are asked to wear a face covering unless medically exempt.

Yours sincerely

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