



# Eastlea Year 5 COVID update



## 24/1/22

Dear Parents / Carers,

Unfortunately, we have been alerted to two positive cases of Covid in the Year 5 class. These were identified via lateral flow tests yesterday evening/earlier this morning. Those involved in both cases did have one or more of the following symptoms – a runny nose, aches and pains, slight cough or a high temperature. Families followed the correct testing procedures and alerted school straight away. We ask you to continue to be vigilant and alert to any symptoms of illness whatsoever.

**Please can we ask that you continue the daily LFD testing for the coming week and as before, if negative, your child can continue to attend school as normal.** I know that many families have been continuing with the daily LFD tests anyway since the earlier cases in the class. Thank you!

If there is a positive case identified in your household, then we would also recommend that you ring school to alert us and strongly consider keeping your child off school to protect other pupils and staff in the class.

If Covid symptoms emerge, however mild, then a PCR test should still be sought (even if a lateral flow test has shown as negative).

Thank you for your support and ongoing vigilance.

Miss E Beeston, Head Teacher