



Eastlea Year 2 COVID update



11/2/22

Dear Parents / Carers,

As outlined in our Covid protocols, unfortunately, I need to let you know that this lunchtime we have been advised of a POSITIVE COVID-19 case within the Year 2 class. Once again in this case the person had none of the usual 'Covid' symptoms but following a sudden bout of vomiting a lateral flow test showed a clear positive outcome.

National guidance states that:

- **close contacts of COVID-19 cases including children aged 5+ should take an LFD test every day for seven days and, if negative, can continue to attend school as normal.**
- If symptoms emerge, however mild, then a PCR test should still be sought.

As the rest of Year 2 are deemed close contacts of this case we would ask that again your child takes a lateral flow test for the next 7 days including before they come to school in the morning each day for the coming week (until the half term break). If there are problems with sourcing a test, then please let Miss Betham know and we will do what we can to help.

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

Thank you again for your support and ongoing vigilance.

Miss E Beeston, Head Teacher