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Dear Parent/Carers

## Confirmed Covid Case at Oaklands School

A pupil has recently tested positive for COVID-19 and is currently self-isolating for the next 10 days. We have worked in partnership with the Council Public Health Team to identify any staff and pupils who were a direct or close contact of the case when they were in school and have advised them that they will need to self-isolate at home for the next 10 days.

If you have not been advised to self-isolate this means you have not been in contact with the case and do not need to do anything further.

We would like to remind all parents/carers that if your child experiences any symptoms of COVID-19 which are:

- a high temperature this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- a new, continuous cough this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal

That your child must not come to school, and they must stay at home and you are to arrange for them to have a test. You can arrange a test by visiting www.nhs.uk or calling 119.

Best wishes

Mr Oxley

Headteacher

