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Dear Parents

As you will be aware, the Government has now markedly increased its response to the Covid-19 pandemic this evening.

Following this update, if any member of your household displays either a cough and/or a temperature of 37.8 or above, please note that *all members of the household are now required to self-isolate at home for 14 days.*

Should this apply to your household, and until further notice, please email <u>Nicola.mcginley@cognita.com</u>, to confirm that your child will be absent for the next 14 days.

Please note that, in line with Public Health England and Wales advice, pupils should attend school as normal if neither they nor another member of the household are displaying symptoms of either/both a persistent cough and/or a temperature of 37.8 or above.

Although this is a fast-moving situation, you can rest assured that the school has the appropriate contingencies in place to respond to this situation at every stage and we will be regularly updating parents on our response.

Thank you for your continued support of the school at this challenging time.

Sending my very best wishes to you all.

Kind regards

Helen Hier Headteacher









