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Parent/Carer Protocol for Seasonal Illness or Suspected Coronavirus

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Dear Parents/Carers,

I am sharing with you a protocol to help your decision making, during these difficult times, when your child is presenting with ailments.

A: If your child is displaying any of the following symptoms of coronavirus they must remain off school and self-isolate for 10 days:

- A high temperature
- Persistent new cough
- Loss of smell or taste

B: If your child is displaying any of the following symptoms they should still attend school:

- Runny nose
- A cold
- Sore throat
- Non persistent cough

If your child is in school and displays any symptoms of **A** they will be collected from their class by a member of the admin team wearing PPE, who will isolate your child and contact you to arrange their collection.

If your child has any siblings at school, they too will be sent home at the same time.

You must then arrange for the child who is displaying **A** symptoms to be tested for Coronavirus.

At this point the class/bubble continue normal learning in school.

Should I receive a positive Coronavirus result from a child in a class/bubble then the bubble will need to be sent home and you will receive a letter explaining what you have to do next.

If your child receives a negative test result then they may return to school the next day.

I hope that this protocol supports your decision making.

M Walsh

Headteacher

