

Westacre Infant School



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Tracking Positive Cases after the Last Day of Teaching Letter

Dear Parents and Carers,

Recently the Department For Education sent the following guidance to all schools:

We recommend all schools ensure staff, parents and carers are aware of the following information and relevant arrangements regarding positive cases in the holidays:

- For the first 6 days after teaching ends, if a pupil or staff member tests positive for coronavirus (COVID-19), having developed symptoms within 48 hours of being in school, the school is asked to assist in identifying close contacts and advising self-isolation, as the individual may have been infectious whilst in school.

Our last teaching day this term will be on Friday 18th December. Therefore, if your children develop any symptoms on **Saturday 19th December or Sunday 20th December**, you will need to inform the school immediately using the following email address. westacreinfantschool@wolverhampton.gov.uk

The guidance remains the same and you should book a test as soon as possible and inform the school of the result. Adhering to the guidance will enable us to track any possible positive cases within school for the last few days of term. We are doing really well recently and we want to continue keeping everyone safe and making sure we can make the most of the Christmas Holidays this year.

Thank you in advance for your continued support,

Mr Aidan Edmunds

Headteacher