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Dear Parents/Carers

For transparency, I am writing to inform you that we have received confirmation that a member of our school community has received a positive test result for COVID-19.

I would like to reassure you that our school is very careful to make sure everyone follows the latest government and local authority guidance for COVID-19 prevention measures.

There is no longer a legal requirement for anyone with coronavirus (COVID-19) infection to self-isolate, however if they have any of the main symptoms of COVID-19 or a positive test result, the public health advice is to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for at least 5 days. On the 5th & 6th day, if negative LFD test results are returned, the individual can cease staying at home and return to school. However, if they do not return negative test results on the 5th and 6th day, they are strongly advised to continue to stay at home until they have returned 2 consecutive negative test results 24 hours apart. Regardless of test results, they can return to school on the 11th day. Close

Contacts are no longer required to self-isolate or advised to take daily tests, and contact tracing has ended.

The main symptoms of COVID-19 include:

- a high temperature – this means they may feel hot to touch on their chest or back (you do not need to take their temperature with a thermometer)
- a new, continuous cough – this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or three or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if they usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- a loss or change to their sense of smell or taste – this means they may tell you that they cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different.

The health, safety and wellbeing of our children and staff is extremely important to us and we thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mr J Baxter

Executive Headteacher

Barmby Moor Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.