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Dear Parents,

We have been made aware of member of your child's class who have tested positive for COVID 19.

This letter is to inform you of the current situation and provide advice. Please be reassured that for most people, coronavirus (COVID-19) will be a mild illness.

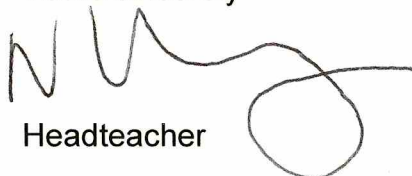
As a reminder, from 19 July the school will no longer be asked to conduct routine contact tracing. As with positive cases in any other setting, NHS Test and Trace will work with either the positive case – or in the case of children – the parents and carers of the positive case to identify close contacts.

In other words, the school will not identify close contacts and send them home to self-isolate immediately as previously done, this will only be done on instruction from NHS Test and Trace.

Parents may choose to obtain a PCR covid test for their child but this should not be undertaken during the school day and they will not need to self-isolate pending the result.

At this time, no further action is required. The school and your child's class remains open and your child should continue to attend as normal if they remain well.

Yours sincerely



Headteacher