

Saturday 19th December 2020

Positive Covid Case in Year 4

Advice to Parents & Carers of children in Year 4 – Instruction to Self-Isolate until Sunday 27th December for Year 4 Year Group - All Classes (Town Hall Campus)

Dear Parents and Carers,

Sadly, I am writing to you during the Christmas Break as there has been another positive case at the Town Hall Campus.

We have been advised by Public Health England that there has been a confirmed case of COVID-19 within your child's year group. The child attended school on Wednesday 16th December 2020.

Public Health England have instructed us that due to the close contact that may have taken place, the school should inform the whole year group to self-isolate.

All staff and children in Year 4 should stay at home and self-isolate as a precaution for 10 days.

This means that all children in Year 4 should self-isolate until Sunday 27^h December 2020.

Children can return to school on Tuesday 5th January 2021.

Symptoms of COVID-19

The most common symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) are recent onset of:

- a new continuous cough
- a high temperature
- a loss of, or change in, your normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

If your child does develop symptoms, you can seek advice from the nhs.uk website at https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/check-if-you-have-coronavirus-symptoms/. If you are concerned about your child's symptoms, or they are worsening you can seek advice from NHS 111 at https://111.nhs.uk/ or by phoning 111.

I wish you and your family well at this difficult time, and look forward to seeing you when Year 4 return on Tuesday 5th January 2021.

Yours sincerely,

Andrew Griffin

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