

CWA/LDA

14 April 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

Re: COVID-19 Summer Term Protocols Reminder

I hope this correspondence finds our families as well as they possibly can be after what I hope has been a good Easter break thus far.

Further to my letter dated 1 April 2022, I would like to issue the following reminders regarding the academy's COVID-19 protocols as we embark on the Summer term. This latest advice and guidance has come directly from the Department for Education:

- Children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can go back to school, college or childcare when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough to attend.
- Adults with a positive COVID-19 test result should stay at home and avoid contact with other people for *5 days, which is when they are most infectious. For children and young people aged 18 and under, the advice is *3 days.

**Day 1 is the day after the test was taken.*

- The academy no longer has access to LFD testing kits.

As will always be the case, the academy will only look to work alongside our families with regards a matter that it is quite clear will be with us for some time to come. Therefore, and as you have done exceptionally well throughout the past two years, should your child produce a positive LFD moving forward, please contact either our Attendance Team or your child's Assistant Head of Year to let them know. They will, again, as has been the case since March 2020, also endeavour to answer any associated questions. If they can't, they will then seek the necessary advice from me and together we will hopefully find an answer to a question or query raised.

Thank you in advance of your anticipated usual standard of support and I wish you all an enjoyable and pleasant Easter Weekend.

Yours sincerely



Mr C A Wakefield
Executive Principal