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| **What to do if …….** | Action Needed | **Return to school when……** |
| My child has Covid-19 symptoms;* **HIGH TEMPERATURE** – this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back.
* **A NEW** **CONTINUOUS COUGH-**this means coughing a lot within an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24hrs
* **A LOSS OR CHANGE TO YOUR SENSE OF SMELL OR TASTE** -this means you’ve noticed you cannot smell or taste anything.
 | DO NOT COME TO SCHOOL (and do not send any siblings to school)Contact school to inform us.Self-isolate the whole household and get a test for the childINFORM SCHOOL IMMEDIATLEY ABOUT TEST RESULTIf any of these symptoms start in school the child MUST be sent home plus any siblingsIf the child’s test comes back negative – they can return to school If the child’s test comes back positive – child to isolate for 10 days. The rest of household to self- isolate for 14 days | The test comes back negative |
| My child tests positive for covid-19… | DO NOT COME TO SCHOOLContact school to inform usAgree an earliest date for possible return. Minimum of 10 days.Self-isolate the whole household for 14 days.Bubble isolates/remote learning. | They feel better. **They can return after 10 days** even if they have a cough or loss of taste/smell. These symptoms can last for several weeks. |
| My child tests negative | CONTACT THE SCHOOL Discuss when your child can come back to school (same day/next day) | The test comes back negative. |
| My child is ill with symptoms not linked to covid-19 | FOLLOW USUAL SCHOOL ABSENCE POLICY PROCEDURE | Liaise with attendance team re return date after sickness |
| Someone in my household has covid-19 symptoms | DO NOT COME TO SCHOOL.Contact school.Self-isolate the whole householdThe person with symptoms gets a testINFORM SCHOOL IMMEDIATLEY ABOUT TEST RESULT | The test comes back negative. |
| Someone in my household tests positive for covid-19 | DO NOT COME TO SCHOOL.Contact schoolWhole household self isolates for 14 daysAgree an earliest date for possible return. Minimum of 14 days | The child has completed **14 days of isolation** |
| NHS test & trace has identified my child has been in close contact of someone with symptoms of confirmed covid-19  | DO NOT COME TO SCHOOL.CONTACT SCHOOLAgree an earliest date for possible return. Minimum of 14 days | The child has completed **14 days of isolation** |
| We/my child has travelled and has to self-isolate as a period of quarantine. | Do not take unauthorised leave in term time.Consider quarantine requirements and FCO advice when booking travelAgree an earliest date for possible return. Minimum of 14 days from return date.Self-isolate the whole household. | The quarantine period of **14 days has been completed** |
| We have received medical advice that my child must resume shielding | DO NOT COME TO SCHOOLCONTACT SCHOOLShield until you are informed that restrictions are lifted and shielding is paused again. | Liaise with school re when your child can return to school. |
| My child’s bubble is closed due to a covid-19 outbreak in school. | DO NOT COME TO SCHOOLAt home, support your child with remote education provided by school on Show my HomeworkYour child will need to isolate for 14 days. | School will inform you when the bubble will be reopened. |