



23 November 2021

Dear Parent/Carers

Unfortunately, we have been made aware that since Friday evening we have had 17 positive COVID cases reported to us. These have consisted of:

- 7 staff and 6 pupils in Acorns
- 1 pupil and 2 staff in the Den
- 1 staff in Oaks

We have let all close contacts of the positive cases know and we have advised them to take a PCR test where appropriate. Staff have also been for PCR tests and continue to take daily lateral flow tests for 10 days following contact with the positive case.

We continue to work closely with Public Health England, and we will be continuing with our enhanced measures such as:

- Facemasks in communal areas and for close working
- Dinners in classes
- No whole school gatherings for training or events
- Enhanced cleaning during the day for frequently used areas / touch points
- Internal track and trace for contacts of positive cases.

We continue to encourage household members over the age of 11 to take twice weekly lateral flow tests to help us to identify cases promptly and keep everyone safe. Just let us know if you require any more lateral flow testing kits.

Thank you for your continued support. If you would like to discuss anything further, please ring us at school or use the [parentsupport@forestway.leics.sch.uk](mailto:parentsupport@forestway.leics.sch.uk) email. This email can also be used to contact us during weekends or holidays.

Yours faithfully

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