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REVISED LETTER

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Nursery & Reception closure and confirmation of re-opening date.

I am writing to inform you that various members of our school community have tested positive for coronavirus. In line with advice from Public Health England, EYFS will now close for a deep clean.

Whilst I understand that you may have concerns with regards to the above, I can assure you that the school will continue with social distancing measures and cleaning and hygiene arrangements will remain in place throughout the day.

Your child however, has been in contact with someone who has tested positive for the virus and in line with government guidance, we are asking that you keep your child at home to self-isolate for 14 days and follow the guidance below.

[COVID-19: guidance for households with possible coronavirus infection guidance](#)

See information below from the national guidance:

- If you have been informed that your child is a contact of a person who has had a positive test result for coronavirus (COVID-19), medical advice is clear: your child must immediately self-isolate at home for 14 days from the date of their last contact with them. There is no requirement for other members of your household to self-isolate unless anyone in your household starts to develop symptoms.
- Your child must not go to school.

If you or your child begin to show the above symptoms you must follow the national guidance. For most people, coronavirus (COVID-19) will be a mild illness. However, if you develop symptoms you must self-isolate at home and arrange to have a test to see if you have COVID-19 – visit [NHS.UK](https://www.nhs.uk) to arrange or contact NHS 119 via telephone if you do not have internet access.

Please inform the school of any positive results.

We have been advised by Public Health that pupils from Nursery and Reception will be able to return to school on **Wednesday 21st October.**

All work will be set via Seesaw each day. This work MUST be completed to a high standard. If you require paper based work please inform the office.

Please contact school if you have any concerns.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Messham