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Dear Nursery parents,

We have been advised that there has been a confirmed case of COVID-19 within the nursery.

I know that you may find this concerning however we are continuing to monitor the situation and will keep you updated of any further changes.

The nursery remains open and your child should continue to attend as normal if they remain well. We encourage any household members that are aged 11 and over to continue with twice weekly LFD testing to help identify any further cases promptly.

What to do if your child develops symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) or tests positive for COVID-19

If your child develops symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19), they should get a PCR test and remain at home at least until the result is known. If negative, the child can end self-isolation; if positive, the child should isolate until at least 10 days after their symptoms appeared.

Symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) are a new, continuous cough, or a high temperature, or a loss of, or change in, their normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia). In children these symptoms also include headaches, sore throat, chills, loss of appetite and muscle aches.

If the child has a positive test result but does not have symptoms, they should stay at home and self-isolate for 10 days from the date the positive test was taken. This isolation period will be extended if they go on to develop symptoms by counting 10 full days from the day following their symptom onset. Anyone with symptoms will be eligible for a PCR test (the normally available test type).

Thank you for your understanding and support.

Yours sincerely

Katherine Money

Headteacher

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