

Oaklands Infant and Junior Schools



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Dear Parents/Carers

You may be aware the 'Acorns Under Fives' has needed to close due to a staff member testing positive with COVID-19. Acorns will be shut until Monday 19 October 2020.

We are following Public Health England and national government guidance, which states:

What should I do if I am a contact of someone who has tested positive for COVID-19?

If you have been informed that you are a contact, you MUST self-isolate at home for 14 days from the date of your last contact with the person who has tested positive for COVID-19. Self-isolation means you must stay at home and not leave the house for 14 days.

If you do develop symptoms of COVID-19, you should arrange to have a test via https://www.nhs.uk/ask-for-a-coronavirus-test or by calling 119.

Do the people I live with also need to self-isolate at home with me for 14 days?

If you are a contact of a person who has tested positive for COVID-19, but you do not have symptoms, other people living with you DO NOT need to self-isolate and should follow the general guidance.

People who do NOT have symptoms should not require a test unless this has been specifically requested by Public Health England or the local authority.

As always we are observing the health of all our children and staff and monitoring day by day. We want to protect our families, friends, the wider community and the NHS. We wish the member of staff a speedy recovery.

With kind regards

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