

# **Allerton Grange School**

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#### ADDITIONAL COVID RESTRICTIONS - LETTER B

Our Ref: MRp/BMa

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Dear Parent/Carer

### Local Lockdown (Tier 1 enforcement for all students and staff)

We were informed today, that Leeds has been placed into a *Local Lockdown*, and Tier 1 restrictions now apply. Therefore, we will be enacting the restrictions as published in my letter of 14 September.

From tomorrow, it is mandatory for all students and staff to wear a face covering when on a school corridor or in a communal area. This face covering can be removed when outside, but must be in place when entering the building. As an additional precaution, face coverings are permitted to be worn in classrooms.

All lessons and your child's timetable will operate as normal.

Remember, if your child displays COVID symptoms, he/she will be expected to obtain a test. Please inform school if the test result is positive.

#### What to do if your child develops symptoms of COVID 19

For most people, especially children, COVID 19 will be a mild illness. The most common symptoms are recent onset of:

- A new continuous cough and/or
- A high temperature and/or
- A loss of, or change in, normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

If your child develops any of these symptoms of COVID 19, he/she should remain at home and arrangements should be made for him/her to be tested. At that time, all other household members must also stay at home, not go to work, school or visit public areas, even for exercise. Testing can be arranged by calling 119 or via the NHS website: nhs.uk/coronavirus. When the result of the child's test is known, further advice will be available.

Your child should **only** obtain a test if he/she is displaying any COVID symptoms.

## How to stop COVID 19 spreading

There are things you can do to help reduce the risk of you, and anyone you live with, getting ill with COVID 19:





















- Wash your hands with soap and water often do this for at least 20 seconds
- Use hand sanitiser gel if soap and water are not available
- Wash your hands as soon as you get home
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze
- Put used tissues in the bin immediately and wash your hands afterwards

Yours faithfully

Mike Roper Headteacher