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Dear Parent

## COVID-19 MOBILE TESTING UNITS – Monday 4 and Tuesday 5 October

Further to my [letter yesterday](#), we have now received confirmation from Public Health that three mobile testing units will be on the school campus on Monday and Tuesday of next week. The Asymptomatic PCR testing will take place entirely during school hours and classes will be assigned times by their teachers in the morning.

Students will only be tested if they have consent from parents (if aged between 11-15) using the online form provided or they may consent themselves if they are aged 16 or over.

If you have not yet returned your consent form, please do so before Sunday 3 October via the appropriate method below based on the age of your child.

- Parents of students aged 11-15 please return this online consent form
- Students 16 and over have received an online consent form link via Class Charts



**Important reminder:** If your child has tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 90 days, he/she should not participate in this PCR testing programme. If this is the case, please do not submit a consent form to the school.



If you consent to participation, you will receive notification of your child's PCR result by text message using the mobile telephone number you provide on the consent form. The school will receive an email confirmation of his/her result. Your child does not need to self-isolate whilst waiting to receive the PCR result unless he/she is displaying symptoms.



If your child tests positive, he/she will be required to isolate for 10 days (starting the day after the test was taken) and work will be provided by the school to complete during this period, providing he/she feels well enough to complete it.



### If your child has COVID-19 symptoms

Please note that the above on-site PCR testing is for asymptomatic cases only. If your child has symptoms consistent with COVID-19, he/she must not attend school, should self-isolate and [seek a PCR test](#) immediately.



Yours sincerely

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