

Dear parents

To clarify regarding illness:

- If your child is ill, please **explain the symptoms when you phone the school** to report that your child will not be in, so we know whether they are due to be tested for Covid-19. Please advise us of the date of any test done.
- **If your child has possible Covid symptoms** (new, continuous cough, and/or a high temperature, and/or loss of taste or smell) **they must not be brought in to school and must go for a Covid test**
- Their **siblings must also stay at home**, as the whole household must self-isolate until the Covid test result is received
- To arrange a Covid test, please phone 119 or access website <https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test>

If no test is done, then your child/siblings must stay home for 10 days from the first day of symptoms.

Please also keep to the timings as regards dropping off and picking up your child. If you are waiting for 08:50 as you have already dropped off a child at 08:35, please wait on the edge of the playground so that there is a clear space for children and parents waiting for the 08:35 entry.

Please see the letter from NHS Test and Trace regarding when to book a test for your child and how to recognise symptoms, and also the Covid-19 information guide from Wiltshire Together.

Thank you for your continued support.

Lethbridge Primary School