**Frome Valley First School: Covid-19 Information to Parents:**

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| **What to do if...** | **Action needed...** | **Return to school when...** |
| **...my child has COVID-19 symptoms** | **- Do not come to school****- Contact school to inform us**- Self-isolate the whole household**- Get a COVID-19 test****- Inform school immediately about the test result** | **...the test comes back negative** |
| **...my child tests positive for COVID-19** | **- Do not come to school****- Contact school to inform us**- Agree an earliest date for possible return. (Min 10 Days)- Self-isolate the whole household | **… they feel better. They can return after 10 days even if they have a cough or loss of taste/smell. These symptoms can last for several weeks. However, they must not return to school if they still have a temperature.**  |
| **...my child tests negative** | **- Contact school to inform us**- Discuss when your child can come back (same/next day) | **...the test comes back negative and your child feels well enough to return** |
| **... my child is ill with symptoms not linked to COVID-19 (sickness and/or diarrhoea).** | **- Do not come to school****- Contact school to inform us**- Ring on each day of illness | **… after 48 hours  following the last bout of sickness or diarrhoea.**  |
| **... my child is ill with symptoms not linked to COVID-19 (runny nose and/or sore throat).** | **- Check temperature and for symptoms of COVID-19**- If no COVID-19 symptoms, come to school if well enough- If not well enough, ring on each day of illness | **… they feel better and are showing no symptoms of COVID-19** |
| **...someone in my household has COVID-19 symptoms** | **- Do not come to school****- Contact school to inform us**- Self-isolate the whole household**- Household member to get a COVID-19 test****- Inform school immediately about the test result** | **...the test comes back negative** |
| **...someone in my household tests positive for COVID-19** | **- Do not come to school****- Contact school to inform us**- Agree an earliest date for possible return. (Min 14 Days)- Self-isolate the whole household | **...the child has completed 14 days of isolation** |
| **...NHS test and trace has identified my child as a close contact of somebody with symptoms or confirmed COVID-19** | **- Do not come to school****- Contact school to inform us**- Agree an earliest date for possible return. (Min 14 Days) | **...the child has completed 14 days of isolation** |
| **… we/my child has travelled and has to self-isolate as a period of quarantine.** | - Do not take unauthorised leave in term time- Consider requirements and FCO advice when booking travel.**Returning from a destination where quarantine is needed -**- Agree an earliest date for possible return. (Min 14 Days)- Self-isolate the whole household | **...the quarantine period of 14 days has been completed.** |
| **… we have received medical advice that my child must resume shielding** | **- Do not come to school****- Contact school to inform us**- Shield until you are informed that restrictions are lifted and shielding is paused again | **...restrictions have been lifted and your child can return to school again.** |
| **… my child’s class (bubble) is closed due to a COVID-19 outbreak in school** | **- Do not come to school**- Your child will need to isolate for 14 days- Siblings can continue to attend**At home, support your child with remote education.** | **...school informs you that the bubble will be reopened.** |