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St Gabriel's, Blackburn
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"Stand firm... be courageous" 1 Corinthians 16:13

Dear Parents,

Test and Trace over Easter Holiday

If your child is in school up to and including Friday 26th March and then **presents with Covid symptoms before 3.30pm on Sunday 28th March**, and later **tests positive**, they will send the staff and children in their class into self-isolation for 10 days. This is because your child was in contact with their class bubble within the 48 hour infectious period prior to their symptoms starting.

If this situation arises, please:

- Email the school office (office@stgabriels.blackburn.sch.uk) **no later than Sunday evening**, to inform of us that your child has symptoms and that you have/or will be arranging a test.

Then...

- Email the office **ASAP when you have your NHS result** (whether positive or negative).

Please also note:

If your child develops symptoms at any point AFTER 3.30pm on Sunday 28th March, you should:

- Arrange a test.
- Advise **school** (office@stgabriels.blackburn.sch.uk)
- The National test and trace service will give you the dates for your household to isolate (and a return to school date – if applicable).

We hope your child / children will return to school on Monday 12th April, but once again, please be mindful that **if your children have any Covid symptoms, they should not come back to school, but should get a test**.

Reminder: school is now OPEN on Monday 12th April, but will be closed on Monday 7th June.

On behalf of all the staff and governors, we want to thank you for your tremendous support and cooperation throughout this pandemic.

Best wishes,

Mrs Haigh



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