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Dear Parents and Carers,

What a fantastic few weeks we have had in school, the children have settled in and are all working very hard.

As usual, we have seen an increase in sick bugs etc. now that we have all returned to school and I would like to remind you that Children with diarrhoea or vomiting should stay away from school for 2 days after their symptoms have gone.

This is more important now more than ever due to COVID-19 and we cannot afford for staff or children to have to have more time off because a few are not following guidance.

If your child has one of the following symptoms, they must remain at home and take a test.

The most common symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) are recent onset of:

- a new continuous cough
- a high temperature
- a loss of, or change in, your normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

If the test is positive, please inform the school as soon as you can and remain at home and isolate for 10 days.

For more information please visit: <https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Have a great weekend, our school newsletter will be a little later than usual and will go home on Monday.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs C Dodds

Headteacher