

Latest COVID -19 Operational Guidance - February 2022

In Schools

- No face covering required by pupils or staff.
- Contacts (including household family) are no longer required to self-isolate or take daily tests.
- Contact tracing has ended.
- No need to have bubbles or particular “arrangements” in place

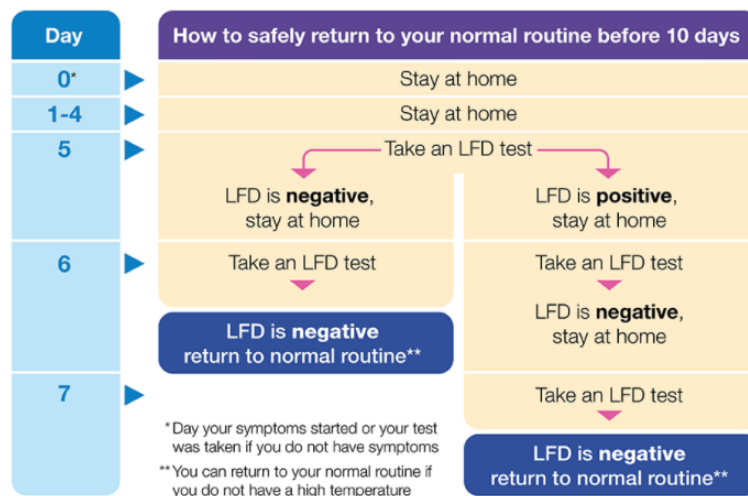
Control Measures

- Hand hygiene- regular handwashing
- Respiratory hygiene - ‘catch it, bin it, kill it’ approach
- Cleaning schedule in place
- Ventilation - use of CO monitors
- Follow PH advice

Current Advice (Public Health)

- No need to continue with regular testing (staff and pupils)
- No longer a legal requirement to stay at home BUT if you have a positive test the PH advice is to stay at home.
- Children should not attend school while they are infectious. They should take a LFT test after 5 days (from the outset of illness or the first positive test) followed by another one the following day. If both these are negative they should return to school provided they do not have a temperature.

How to safely return to your normal routine before 10 days



Parents

- Please inform the school if your child has a positive COVID result and keep your child at home
- Please follow the above flow chart for a speedy return to school
- There is no need to keep siblings off school if they are well
- Please use Google Classroom (particularly in KS2) if your child is well enough to complete school work.