

15<sup>th</sup> March 2022

**Covid Update:**

Firstly, we would like to wish everyone isolating at home a speedy recovery. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding during this term.

In the last few days we have had reported to us a number of new Covid cases.

Currently, today the number isolating at home is below 20 cases across 7 classes.

Both Notts Public Health Team and school Governors have been supportive of St Peter's throughout this time commending our Covid measures in place. Notts Public Health Team continue to advise we keep hygiene measures in place, ventilate rooms and they are recommending regular testing at home especially with siblings in different classes.

We will continue to communicate with you via text messages and Covid updates.

Thank you to parents/carers for following guidance and to those going beyond to be the safest we can be for both children and staff in school.

We will continue to recommend to our staff to routinely test at least once a week.

In school, we will continue to encourage children to wash their hands or hand sanitise regularly and ensure a free flow of air within classrooms and shared spaces.

The guidance has not changed on symptomatic testing. If you develop any of the 3 Covid symptoms (a high temperature, a new, continuous cough, you've lost your sense of smell or taste or they've changed) you are still advised to [book a PCR test](#). If you have symptoms, stay at home until you get your results.

If your child develops Covid they should, as the guidance states, stay at home and avoid contact with other people for at least 5 full days and then continue to follow the guidance until they have received 2 negative test results on consecutive days. Students who are isolating as a result of this Covid-19 advice will continue to receive remote education tasks (to complete as long as they are well enough) until their period of isolation ends. Please inform school so we can monitor the impact of Covid and report to the local authority and Notts Public Health.

If you wish to discuss any of the above, please feel free to call or email school.

Regards and take care,

Mr Tomlinson  
Head Teacher