



HIGH HESKET C of E SCHOOL (VC)

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Dear Parents,

I am writing to inform you that we have been notified that a pupil has gone into self-isolation as a precautionary response to the Coronavirus spread. I would like to stress that the pupil has not exhibited any symptoms and this is not a confirmed case; the family are following precautionary advice from NHS111.

We have taken external advice and the current guidance from Public Health England and the Department for Education states that there is no need for those who have had contact with the pupil to self-isolate or for the school to close at this time.

Please be assured that we will be enforcing good hygiene practices and ask that all members of the school community be mindful of current health advice.

In light of the current climate of concern relating to Coronavirus, we will be cancelling tonight's parents evenings and those for Year 6 next week but will be in touch to make alternative arrangements. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

We appreciate your support and understanding and will remain in contact should we receive any further information or guidance.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Harvey

Head teacher