



Bridgeview Special School Covid-19 Related Attendance

Parental guidance – 9 September 2020 (all other absence procedures remain the same)

What to do if ...	Action to be taken	Return to school when...
<p>... my child has coronavirus symptoms</p> <p>(Typically – A new cough A high temperature A loss of smell/ taste)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Do NOT come to school ● Contact the school daily ● Self-isolate ● Get a test as soon as possible ● Inform school of the outcome immediately 	... the test comes back negative.
... my child tests positive for coronavirus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Do NOT come to school ● Inform the school immediately about the result ● Self-isolate for at least 10 days ● Keep in contact with the school daily. 	... when they feel better after their 10-day isolation. They can return to school after 10 days even if they have a cough or loss of smell/ taste. As these symptoms can last for several weeks once the infection has gone.
... somebody in my household has coronavirus symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Do NOT come to school ● Contact the school daily ● Self-isolate ● Household member to get tested as soon as possible ● Inform school of the outcome immediately 	... the household member tests negative.
... somebody in my household tests positive.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Do NOT come to school ● Contact the school daily ● Self-isolate for 14 days 	... the child has completed 14 days of self-isolation.
... NHS test and trace have identified my child as a “close contact” of somebody with symptoms or confirmed coronavirus.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Do NOT come to school ● Contact the school daily ● Self-isolate for 14 days 	... the child has completed 14 days of self-isolation
... my child has travelled and has to self-isolate as part of a period of quarantine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Do NOT take unauthorised leave during term time ● Consider quarantine requirements and FCO advice before booking travel ● Provide information to school as per the attendance policy <p><u>Returning from a destination where quarantine is needed:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Do NOT come to school ● Inform school of return date ● Contact school daily ● Self-isolate for 14 days from day of return 	... the quarantine period of 14 days self-isolation has been completed.