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Dear Parents,

In schools across the country, new guidance has been issued around Corona Virus. Now staff are wearing masks again in communal areas at the advice of public health.

With the new Omicron variant, if a child tests positive for the variant, other children or staff may be asked to isolate for 10 days which is more like it was last academic year. At the moment, if a child tests positive, the rest of the class and staff can still attend school. However, if someone tests positive for the new strain, larger groups will have to isolate.

This is a national, governmental decision. If we have any Omicron cases, we will keep you updated through our usual channels.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "R Birtwhistle".

R Birtwhistle
Head Teacher.



'Staff and Governors are committed to keeping children safe'.