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Dear Parents,

4th November 2020

I am writing to let you know that we've been informed that one member of staff at Ankermoor has tested positive for Covid-19. In line with the Department for Education (DfE), Public Health England (PHE) and National Health Service (NHS) guidance, we have tracked the case and it was contracted during half term when no children were present and the staff member has not been back to school since.

No pupils have been identified as having been in close contact and subsequently came back to school as normal after the half term break, returning on Monday.

Moving forward, as the country now enters a lockdown from Thursday 5th November, we will be taking the following precautionary measures and ask you to play your part where required:

- Classroom windows will be open fully to ensure the school is well ventilated. Please send your child in extra layers as we enter the Winter months.
- We have instructed our cleaning team to undertake a further cleaning of the classrooms that the staff have been based in, as a further precautionary measure.
- Parents **MUST** drop children off at the correct times and then move away from the school. Please do not congregate in pairs or groups.
- Parents may form **1** informal family support bubble for pick-ups and drop offs **ONLY** if necessary.
- We will be ensuring that staff and children continue to remain in their bubbles as much as possible.

The [New National Restrictions from 5th November](#) can be found by pressing the link.

We ask that you continue to send your children to school as normal unless they have coronavirus symptoms:

- A continuous cough
- A high temperature
- A loss of smell / taste

I want to stress again that the safety of our children, families and staff will always be our number one priority and we will ensure we continue to keep our school community safe. We will keep you updated and informed on any further developments.

Kind regards and thanks,

Simon Russell, Headteacher



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