COVID19 Procedure – Symptomatic Pupils and Staff

A Pupil or staff member is showing symptoms of COVID19



Symptomatic Pupil must be immediately separated from their bubble group and taken to the medical room with separate WC



Staff advised to self isolate at home for 10 days and book a test via NHS119 or online.
Staff reminded to inform the academy immediately on receipt of the results

Whilst waiting to be collected by parents/carers, staff must wear PPE at all times while providing care for symptomatic Person and ensure they remain in the designated room untill collected



Parents advised on collection that pupil should self isolate for 10 days, to book a test via NHS 119 or online and inform academy immediately on receipt of the result.

Those families unable to obtain a test can be provided a home testing kit (limited numbers available).

Please see Test and Trace procedure for more information

Once cleared, medical room is to be thoroughly cleaned by onsite cleaning staff, no one else needs to be sent home unless displaying COVID19 symptoms



Did the pupil or staff member test positive?

they are separated from the bubble and cleaned thoroughly at the end of the current day

Please refer to ATT Procedure - Managing

confirmed cases of COVID19

All Areas the symptomatic pupil accessed will be

wiped down after

Yes

No

IS the Pupil or staff member still displaying COVID19 symptoms?



No

Pupil/Staff member to complete full 10 day self isolation period and only return to the academy once symptoms have gone

Pupil/Staff member can return to the academy

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If a child or member of staff shows any of the symptoms associated with COVID 19 the following steps must be followed:

- If a pupil/staff member shows any symptom of COVID 19, no matter how small, they must be isolated from the main group they are in using the designated medical room at the academy.
- The relevant member of staff calls for emergency assistance immediately if pupils' symptoms worsen.
- The parents of unwell pupils are informed as soon as possible of the situation by a relevant member of staff.
- Take the pupils temperature to check for fever if not prevalent.
- Where contact with a pupil's parents cannot be made, appropriate procedures are followed in accordance with those outlined in governmental guidance.
- The Staff member caring for the pupil must wear PPE as detailed in the ATT Supply and use of PPE procedure.
- While waiting to go home, unwell pupils or those showing symptoms of COVID19 must be
 isolated from the rest of the academy and kept within the designated medical area and use
 only the designated toilet facility.
- Send pupil home and advise to self-isolate for 10 days, household members should self-isolate for 14 days, and advise that the pupil should be tested by booking online
 https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test or by calling NHS 119. The parents must inform the academy of the result as soon as they receive it.
- In certain situations where families cannot access a test the academy will have a limited number of home testing kits available
- Ensure that the area they have occupied at the academy is cleaned by onsite cleaning staff and thorough disinfectant of all areas takes place.
- If the Pupil/staff member tests negative for COVID19 and is no longer showing COVID19 symptoms they can return to the academy
- If the Pupil/staff member tests negative for COVID19 and is still showing COVID19 symptoms they should complete the self-isolation period of 10 days prior to returning.