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Dear Parent/ Carer

The Department for Education has recently announced that it will start a programme of asymptomatic Covid-19 testing in primary schools, school-based nurseries and maintained nursery schools. Therefore, from next week we will be implementing Covid-19 Lateral Flow testing for our staff.

Staff who opt in will self-test every week, 3 to 4 days apart. The majority of staff will therefore be testing twice a week when in school full time. Should one of our staff members test positive, it is likely that we will need to close the 'bubble' that they are working in. We are asking staff to report any positive test results to the school by 8am. We will therefore endeavour to inform parents by 8.20am should a 'bubble' need to close.

In order to support us with this we would kindly ask that all parents download the E-Schools app- further information about this can be found on our school website: https://www.isaacnewton-cit.co.uk/website/eschools_app_-_parents_help/499102.

If you require your login details or password then please contact the school office or email us at enquiries@isaacnewton-cit.co.uk.

If you do not download the app then you may miss out on key communications from the school such as 'bubble' closures.

Should you have any concerns or queries regarding staff testing then please do not hesitate to contact with me via the school office.

Kind regards

Mr Heathcote
Headteacher

