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Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to inform you that a member of staff within the Year 5 bubble has tested positive for Covid-19. We have taken advice from Public Health England and have decided to close the class bubble as a precautionary measure. This **does not** affect the rest of the school as they do not identify as close contacts. The measures that we have put in place to socially distance each bubble have been implemented for this type of circumstance.

We understand that this disruption to the start of term is far from ideal, but I am sure you can appreciate that we have to follow clear procedures in light of a positive case. As a school we will continue to follow all government guidance to ensure the safety of both children and staff. Can I take this opportunity to remind everyone that during this current situation, you are being asked to monitor your own health, looking out for any symptoms such as cough or fever.

What symptoms should I be concerned about?

You should look for any of the following symptoms:

- new continuous cough
- fever (a temperature of 37.8°C or higher)
- loss of, or change in, normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

If you develop these symptoms, however mild, at any point

- Stay at home for 7 days from when your symptoms have started and refer to the guidance at
- <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-people-with-confirmed-or-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection>

Thank you for your continued understanding.

Yours sincerely,

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