

Hutton Cranswick CP School

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Dear Parents/Carers

If a member of staff or child tests positive for Covid-19 in our school, we would have to close one or more class bubbles and the children and staff would be instructed to self-isolate for 14 days. In the event that this happens, we have to be ready and prepared to set home/remote learning for the class/classes that will be self-isolating. As mentioned in a previous newsletter, home learning will be set for the school days within the 14 days of self-isolation. If a child has tested positive, there is no expectation to complete the learning as they may be feeling unwell. The learning is primarily set for the children in the class who are at home for 14 days without symptoms.

As you may need to provide us with a response, every child has a letter in their book bags, which they are bringing home today, outlining a home learning offer for their year group. The letter explains the key online platform, tool/tools that their class teacher will use to set and share learning and interact with their class as a group and/or individually. As you will appreciate, what works best for each year group varies based on the age of the child, which is why we are using a range of platforms.

At the bottom of the class letter there is a reply slip. You only need to complete this if you will **not be able** to access the home learning, via the platform outlined in the letter. You do **not** need to complete the reply slip if you will be able to access the learning. The home learning set by the year group is deemed as the most appropriate way to ensure teacher feedback and support for the children, when they are not in school.

If you return the reply slip indicating that you will be **unable** to access the proposed home learning, the class teacher will be in touch to discuss this further and make alternative arrangements.

We want to be as prepared as possible if we are faced with closing class bubbles in the future, however we truly hope that we do not find ourselves in this position.

Many thanks in advance for your continued support during these challenging times.

Best wishes

Liz Burkinshaw

Headteacher



