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Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you and your families are all well and keeping safe.

We are really pleased to say that we now have all our available bubbles open and have welcomed back many children. It has been lovely to see so many happy faces coming into school each day. Staff have also started calling all the children each week who are not in school. They have enjoyed speaking to you all and hearing all about the learning you have been doing.

We are now at capacity in all 3 schools. If you have changed your mind and want your child to return to school you must call us. Please do not just turn up. We will put your name on our waiting list and if a place becomes available in one of our groups we will contact you.

We are receiving daily guidance from the DfE and have been in contact with health professionals on 111 or 119 for further information and guidance on individual cases.

We have updated our protocols today following guidance from Public Health England @Southwark. London has now agreed a set of protocols for schools to use when dealing with any child or adult in school with suspected or confirmed COVID 19.

Responding to a suspected case of Coronavirus- Updated guidelines

Please do not send your child to school if they are unwell. If they have a high temperature, loss of smell or taste or a new, continuous, dry cough, please let us know and book your child to be tested immediately. There are a list of other symptoms available on the NHS and Government website.

Anyone displaying Coronavirus symptoms in school will be sent home immediately and will need to follow the Government guidelines for self isolation.

- Child with symptoms will be sent home and must arrange a test
- Siblings will be sent home
- Other families in the group will be notified
- Other children in that group can continue to come to school until the test results are back
- If the test is positive, the symptomatic child must self- isolate for 7 days, siblings for 14 days and the same group children and staff for 14 days. We will also notify Public Health England in Southwark for further guidance
- If negative, the child can return when better
- If parents refuse to test their child, we will notify Public Health England in Southwark who will follow this up with the family, GP and complete a risk assessment. They will advise the school on our next steps.

We continue to follow the strict guidance around social distancing, hand washing and cleaning as I have stated in previous letters. Thank you to all the families currently attending for your support in this.

Thank you all again for your continued support.



Kind regards,

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