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Dear Parents and Carers

Lateral Flow Device (LFD) testing

As of this week, all staff working in school whilst children are on site will take an LFD test at home twice a week, on a Sunday and Wednesday evening. If a member of staff tests positive for Covid-19 on their LFD test, they will book a PCR test at a drive-in test centre. In the event that a positive LFD test necessitates a bubble closure, we will endeavour to inform you via email by 8.00pm on the evening of the test. If your child is attending school during this period, please check your emails on Sunday and Wednesday evenings if possible. As of yet, we do not know when testing for children in primary schools will be introduced.

Parent Teacher Interviews The response to this week's PTIs has been excellent – thank you! The booking page has now closed; if you have yet to book an appointment, please contact the school office – details above. You will access your appointment via School Cloud, rather than MS Teams. Please see this guide for more details.

Whole School Assembly It was wonderful to see so many children on join the assembly on Friday afternoon. This will be a weekly occurrence, at least until the end of term. Remember, the aim is to go 'screen free' after the assembly on Friday afternoons.

Best wishes

Mr. J. Veness