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Dear parents/carers,

Thank you for your support over the first part of this term. It is really helpful that we know we have your support to keep us and your children safe.

We hope you and your family are well at this challenging time. Thank you for working with us to provide a safe environment in school and for supporting our work with your child in delivering remote learning at home.

Please contact the school office if you need any further support, we are always here to help. We have added details of our Remote Learning Offer to the school website to show how we are working with families to continue the learning from home.

This week we have received "Covid19 Self-Test Kits" for all staff who are on site. These have been supplied for staff to test twice weekly to monitor asymptomatic positive cases of COVID19. If a staff member tests positive, they will notify the school, book a PCR test and self-isolate, we will also need to isolate the bubble in which they work until the result comes in to keep everyone safe.

Unfortunately this does mean that there may be times when we have to close bubbles at short notice. Once again I can only apologise for the disruption that this will cause.

If you or any member of your household tests positive for COVID19, please can you inform school as soon as possible. This information is important even if your child is not coming to school at the moment. Your details will be kept confidential, but we are being asked to report how many households within our school community are self-isolating due to COVID19.

Thank you again for keeping your children at home where you can. The staff have been fantastic so far this term and will continue to work hard to do as much as they can to support learning and well-being during these difficult times, we can't wait to welcome all of the children back to school.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs K Costello (Headteacher)