



Queen Elizabeth's Girls' School

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Saturday 31st October

Dear Parents and Carers

Regrettably I am writing to inform you that there has been a confirmed student case of Covid-19 in the Year 10 Bubble which has been brought to our attention today. The test was taken and the result came during the half term break. Following advice taken from Public Health Barnet, this means that Year 10 students are being asked to stay home and self-isolate for three days from today until and including Monday. They can return to school on Tuesday 3rd November since the last possible contact with the confirmed case was Tuesday 20th October. Their siblings can attend school as usual and other household members can continue their usual activities, unless anyone in the household displays a symptom. Should anyone display a symptom, that person should self-isolate for 10 days and the remainder of the household, for 14 days, from the date the symptom appeared.

I will forward you a letter from Public Health England, London Coronavirus Response Cell (LCRC), with further details and information for contacts of cases. I will also send you information on arrangements for learning and teaching for the missed day of school, Monday 2nd November. Please encourage your daughter to check her school email for information relating to live lessons. If your daughter receives Free School Meals, please contact the school before 11.00am on Monday morning and we will make arrangements for a cold snack lunch that can be collected from school.

Should your daughter display a symptom and subsequently take a test, please share the result with school. I realise you may have further questions; please direct these via email to the School Office. Please be assured this case in the Year 10 Bubble has no impact on the rest of the school due to our strict adherence to our Risk Assessment and internal control measures.

Yours faithfully

Violet Walker
Headteacher