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Dear Parents/Carers

Positive COVID-19 result - Parkway Centre

We have been notified this afternoon that a pupil at Parkway has received a positive COVID test result.

Upon tracing, the pupil was last in school on Tuesday last week (3rd Nov), but did not develop COVID symptoms till yesterday.

PHE guidance is to trace contact up to 2 full days prior to the onset of symptoms, therefore based on this, the guidance currently is that **there is no need for anyone at Parkway to self-isolate.**

Please may I remind you of the most common symptoms of COVID-19; these are:

- new continuous cough and/or
- high temperature and/or
- a loss of, or change in, normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

If your child develops any of these symptoms, they should remain at home and arrangements should be made for them to be tested. Please also inform us of this. At that time all household members must stay at home, not go to work, school or public areas, even for exercise.

A negative result means the test did not find coronavirus.

Testing can be arranged by calling 119 or via the NHS website: [nhs.uk/coronavirus](https://www.nhs.uk/coronavirus)

Thank you for your continued support in helping to keep everyone within our school community safe.

Yours faithfully



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