

7th December 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

Covid 19 Update

I am writing to give you all a further update in regards to school precautions and current rates of Covid 19 cases.

Cases have continued to rise in Year 3 and we are now raising the measures that are in place to ensure that we do what we can to limit cases. Cases across the rest of the school continue to be very low.

Measures that will come into effect today will be the Year 3's will operate within a bubble. This means that for just this week we will ask them to eat lunch in their classrooms. We will ask Year 4 children to use a different set of toilets and at break and lunch we will give them a designated playground and reduce social mixing with other year groups.

It is with regret that we will be postponing the disco for all year groups, as we feel that with cases increasing and Christmas just around the corner, that this would be an unnecessary risk.

The Year 3 Christmas performance will be continuing at the moment, but we will not be showing it to the rest of the school as we had planned.

Increased handwashing has been actioned and the Year 3 area and touch points are being frequently cleaned.

We strongly believe that the answer is not to close a bubble or to go to remote learning. We are just starting to see the children really settle and we strongly believe that more time away from school would do more damage than good for their wellbeing and their learning.

We thank you for your ongoing support in what continues to be a challenging time for us all.

Yours sincerely



Mrs J Walker

Headteacher

