



# Aston Manor Academy

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Dear Parents,

I regret to inform you that we have been notified that one of our students in Year 11 has tested positive for COVID-19. The student is now isolating at home and all students who have been in direct contact with the individual have been told to self-isolate for 14 days.

This student has remained in their bubble and we see no risk to students in other year groups. Other year groups are still expected to come into school as usual.

We are taking advice from Public Health England and are following all guidance provided by them. Please rest assured that we are taking every precaution and updating all risk assessments in order to minimize the risk of the spread of coronavirus.

Any students who test positive for COVID-19 will have to self-isolate for 10 days, and all contacts of that student will have to self-isolate for 14 days. Students will not be allowed to return to school before the 10 or 14 days respectively. If your child develops symptoms you must book a test as soon as possible by calling 119. Tests are only valid if your child has symptoms, if you have any questions about this please contact our attendance manager.

I would like to reassure you that all of our procedures have been followed with regard to limiting the transmission across the school and I will keep you updated with any further information.

Students who are self-isolating will be able to continue to learn online and will be able to use Teams to access learning remotely. They have been provided with a timetable of online taught lessons that they should access. Those students without access to laptops/computers will be provided with work packs relating to the schemes of work being taught in lessons so that they will not fall behind. It is vital that students continue to access school resources and complete the work set, we appreciate your support with this. Staff will remain in contact with students during the period of self-isolation.

Please check the school website for any updates, you will receive a text notifying you of any further information.

Please do not hesitate to contact school if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

J Sweeney

