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Dear Parents and Carers

The government has updated advice about the coronavirus outbreak, which can be found here:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/wuhan-novel-coronavirus-information-for-the-public>

The key addition to the advice issued previously is for people who have visited northern Italy (north of Pisa – Florence – Rimini), Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos and Myanmar to self-isolate if symptoms of cold / flu (even mildly) arise. The previous list of named countries also remains in force – China, Thailand, Japan, Republic of Korea, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Singapore, Malaysia, and Macau. Please contact the school, as well as NHS 111, if you believe this to be the case for your son / daughter.

The advice for travelers from specific countries to self-isolate, regardless of symptoms, has also been expanded to include a number of named 'lockdown' towns in northern Italy, the whole of Iran, 'Special care zones' in South Korea and Hubei Province, China. Again, if you believe your son or daughter may be affected please contact the school, as well as NHS 111.

If you have any queries over how this advice may affect your child, please do contact the school at your earliest convenience.

Kind regards

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