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Dear Parents and Carers

There have been some very minor amendments to the COVID testing arrangements for students on their return to the academy in January. Please see below for the updated information.

Returning in January:

As you are probably aware, schools have been asked to mass test for COVID-19 when the students return in January. We are keen to avoid as much disruption as possible and will therefore be doing this over one day, on Wednesday 5 January. The arrangements are as follows:

Monday 3 January: Bank Holiday in lieu of New Year's Day
Tuesday 4 January: INSET Day – students are not required in the academy
Wednesday 5 January: COVID Testing Day

Students should attend the testing at the time indicated below. They will then go to their normal lessons for the rest of the day. Students will only be notified if they test positive.

Parents/Carers **DO NOT** need to complete the consent form unless they have not already done so.

PARENT CONSENT LINK <https://forms.gle/UQ9bHzb1Z97DSRjG9>

Arrival Time Wednesday 05/01/22	Tutor Groups
08.30	11VDHU – 11WKM – 11HSMO
09.05	11LRW – 11MRA – 11SSC
09.35	10VACW – 10WJBY – 10LCV
10.15	10HKW – 10MSS – 10SKL
11.00	9HSBA – 9MKV – 9WSLE
11.35	9LDSM – 9SRB – 9VDHW
12.05	8VVWI – 8WJH – 8HCC
12.30	8LAWN – 8MNF – 8SMH
13.45	7HCP – 7LNA – 7MJHA
14.10	7SVGA – 7VJM – 7WVH

If your son/daughter does not require a test, they should arrive at the academy at the same time as their tutor group are being tested.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher