## **Water Primary School**

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As you are aware, we have had positive cases of COVID 19 in Acorn class. We have sought guidance from Lancashire and at the moment, children are still able to attend school however, we have to put in place some extra safety measures to reduce the risk of spreading. Acorn class will be in their own 'bubble' and will not be mixing with other children in school. I understand how it is difficult testing younger children, however it would greatly benefit the class if you are able to test. If your child does test positive, please could you email me at <a href="mailto:asthead@Water.lancs.sch.uk">asthead@Water.lancs.sch.uk</a> or send a Dojo to Miss Hodgson.

## IF YOUR CHILD DOES TEST POSITIVE, PLEASE TAKE THEM FOR A PCR TEST.

We will also have to stagger start and end times for these children, please could you send children into school at 9:20 a.m. and collect them at 3:00 p.m.

Unfortunately, we are unable to offer the children in Acorn any wrap around care (breakfast and after school club), therefore please could you collect children at 3p.m. prompt. I understand how frustrating this is, especially as we are on the Christmas count down however if we take these precautions now, it should ensure that the children will be able to enjoy the last week of school and also enjoy family time over the Christmas period.

We do not take these decisions lightly and really appreciate your support in this matter.

Many thanks,

E. McKay