

## **TURNEY SCHOOL**

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Dear Parents/Carers.

I hope you, your family and friends are well. Firstly I would like to thank you for your continued support for the school this term. The children and young people have adapted very well to the changes imposed on us due to Covid 19. Thank you again to all parents/carers and staff who have continued to support the Turney community and made this possible.

We finish school in the normal way on Friday 18th December. We have received the following advice from the Department of Education regarding notifying schools in the event of a positive COVID test during the first week of the holidays

- If your child/young person develops symptoms, or tests positive two days after school ends on 18<sup>th</sup> December you should contact Jo Tovey using the following number 07591 201 745 or using the following email tovey.j@turney.org.uk. The school must assist in identifying close contacts and advising self-isolation as your child/young person may have been infectious whilst in school.
- Parent/carers should be aware that they may be contacted via email, text or phone should a positive result be received.
- If your chlid/young person develops symptoms <u>after</u> the 21<sup>st</sup> December (<u>more than 48 hours</u>) the school does not need to be informed. Parents and carers should follow contact tracing instructions provided by NHS Test and Trace.

Finally, if your child/young person has symptoms of Covid 19, or has tested positive within the last 10 days of the holiday period, please do not send them back to school on 5<sup>th</sup> January, though please do notifiy the school. Positve test results from NHS should be emailed to school.

Once again I would like to thank you for your continued support and wish you a good break and hope you all stay safe and well.

Yours sincerely

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