



Malbank School and Sixth Form College



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8th October 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Yesterday the Local Authority updated their guidance to schools in Cheshire as a result of case levels rising in the borough.

They have made the decision that when someone in a family home tests positive for COVID-19, all other members of the home need to have an initial PCR test, but that as an additional layer of protection, they must also complete Lateral flow home tests for 10 days (which mirrors the period of time people would have isolated for in the past).

From this point onwards, in the event of someone in your family home testing positive, please book a PCR for all family members, contact school so we are aware and then ensure students are testing at home for 10 days. We can supply students with additional LFT test packs which will be available from our three key stage offices and other family members should contact their local pharmacy to collect free home testing kits. Please remember that students are still expected to attend school and that this additional layer of testing is to help maintain that.

As always, thank you for your support – if you have any questions, please contact us at admin@malbank.cheshire.sch.uk.

Yours faithfully,

John Harrison
Headteacher

