



# Wouldham All Saints Church of England Primary School

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## Quick reference guide for parents.

### *What should I do if....*

What should I do if...	Action needed	Return to school when...
My child has Covid-19 symptoms including any of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A new continuous cough</li> <li>• A high temperature</li> <li>• A loss of, or change in, your normal sense of taste or smell</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Do not come to school</b></li> <li>• <b>Contact school to inform us</b></li> <li>• Self-isolate the whole household</li> <li>• Get a test <a href="https://self-referral.test-for-coronavirus.service.gov.uk/antigen/name">https://self-referral.test-for-coronavirus.service.gov.uk/antigen/name</a></li> <li>• <b>Inform the school immediately about the test result</b></li> </ul>	The test comes back negative <b>or</b> a period of ten days has passed since the symptoms started, and the child feels well.
My child tests positive for Covid-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Do not come to school</b></li> <li>• <b>Contact school to inform us</b></li> <li>• Self-isolate the whole household</li> </ul>	10 days have passed since symptoms began, even if they still have a cough or loss of taste/smell (these symptoms can last for several weeks) <b>AND</b> the child feels well.
My child tests negative	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Contact school to inform us</b></li> <li>• Discuss when your child can come back (same day/next day)</li> </ul>	The test comes back negative.
My child is ill with symptoms not linked to Covid-19 but could be contagious (i.e. sickness) or is too ill to come to school	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Do not come to school</b></li> <li>• <b>Contact school to inform us</b></li> <li>• Ring on each day of their illness</li> </ul>	After 24 hours following the last bout of sickness or diarrhoea or when feeling well enough if not sickness related.
Someone in my household has Covid-19 symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Do not come to school</b></li> <li>• <b>Contact school to inform us</b></li> <li>• Self-isolate the whole household</li> <li>• Affected household member to get a test</li> <li>• <b>Inform the school immediately about the test result</b></li> </ul>	The test comes back negative.
Someone in my household tests positive for Covid-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Do not come to school</b></li> <li>• <b>Contact school to inform us</b></li> <li>• Self-isolate the whole household</li> </ul>	The child has completed 14 days of isolation.
NHS test and trace has identified my child as a close contact of somebody with symptoms of confirmed Covid-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Do not come to school</b></li> <li>• <b>Contact school to inform us</b></li> <li>• The rest of the household does not need to self-isolate</li> </ul>	The child has completed 14 days of isolation.

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NHS test and trace has identified a household member (other than my child) as a close contact of somebody with symptoms or confirmed Covid-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>The household member must self-isolate for 14 days</b></li> <li>• Child can continue to attend school</li> </ul>	Child can continue to attend school.
A sibling attending another school has been sent home to isolate due to there being a positive case in their school	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Sibling must isolate for 14 days</b></li> <li>• Child/ren attending our school can continue to attend</li> </ul>	Child can continue to attend school.
I have travelled from a country that requires us to quarantine but my child didn't travel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As long as you do not have/have not had symptoms in the last 14 days your child can continue to attend school.</li> <li>• <b>The person who has travelled MUST NOT leave the house, including to do pickups and drop offs.</b></li> </ul>	Child can continue to attend school.
We have received medical advice that my child must resume shielding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Do not come to school</b></li> <li>• <b>Contact school to inform us</b></li> <li>• Shield until you are informed that restrictions are lifted and shielding is paused again</li> </ul>	School inform you that restrictions have been lifted and your child can return to school again. <b>OR</b> You receive medical advice that your child may return to school.
My child's 'bubble' is closed due to a Covid-19 outbreak in school	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Child must not come to school</b></li> <li>• <b>Child must not come on to the school site</b></li> <li>• Support your child at home with remote education provided by your school</li> <li>• Your child will need to self-isolate for 14 days</li> <li>• <b>Other siblings may continue to attend school</b></li> </ul>	School will inform you that the bubble will be reopened.
A family member has an operation and it is advised that they <b>and</b> their family need to self-isolate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Do not come to school</b></li> <li>• <b>Contact school to inform us</b></li> <li>• <b>Provide medical evidence to the school</b></li> </ul>	The child has completed the advised self-isolation period.
I am unable to get a test for someone in the household who has symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>If you are not able to get a test in the first 5 days of having symptoms, your child and anyone they live with must stay at home and self-isolate for 14 days.</b></li> <li>• <b>If you have tried to get a test but failed to get anywhere by the end of your third day then contact the school for help.</b></li> </ul>	The child has completed 14 days of isolation or a negative test result has been received.