

Dear Parents / Carers,

Please see below the most recent guidance from the Local Authority regarding getting a test for COVID-19:

Due to severe issues with the national COVID-19 test booking system, which are beyond the council's control, the government has asked us to close our booking helpline, which we had set up to help our residents get tested more easily.

You must now visit nhs.uk/coronavirus or call 119 to book a test.

People cannot just turn up and they must have symptoms to be tested.

If a pupil, student or staff member develops one or more of the main coronavirus symptoms, only they should be tested. There is no need for their households to have a test, unless they are also symptomatic.

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