

## **Your child has been sent home because they have symptoms related to Coronavirus.**

- A persistent and new dry cough
- A temperature above 37.8C
- Change or loss of their sense of taste or smell

It is essential that your child is tested for Covid 19 as soon as possible and that you let us know the results. You can access testing by calling 111 or going online at:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/>

or

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/testing-and-tracing/get-a-test-to-check-if-you-have-coronavirus/>

Until your child's test result is returned everyone in your household should self-isolate.

If your child's test is negative, and they are well, they may return to school and the household can return to normal.

If their test is positive, they should isolate for at least 10 days and everyone else in the household for 14 days. This is measured from the first day of symptoms.

**It is vital you let the school know the test result as soon as you know** so that we can make any arrangements necessary here for the bubble your child is in.

If it is positive the school will contact the local Health Protection Team and follow the advice given with regard to sending home any other classes or groups of children.