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Dear Parent/Carer

Unfortunately, we have had 5 covid cases identified in school this week and 3 this morning. Thanks to all parents who have identified positive cases by testing at home. Please notify us immediately if your child has a positive lateral flow or positive PCR test. If your child is ill e.g. headache, fatigue, runny nose or any of the covid symptoms then please keep them at home and get a PCR test. Your support with this is appreciated and will help to stop the spread of this virus.

Please can all parents test their children today and Sunday. Please then continue to follow government advice by testing students twice weekly.

Thanks to all parents who collected your children swiftly. We really do appreciate your support at this time. If you have a positive test at the weekend then please email pabram@haydockhigh.sthelens.org.uk so that I can identify close contacts and inform families as soon as possible and before they return to school on Monday.

All pupils asked to isolate must do so for 10 days. Please see the letter provided by school or contact the school office if you did not collect one. We will ring you and ask you to return to school if the follow up PCR test of the person your child has been in contact with is negative.

For any students required to isolate, we will try where possible to rearrange any planned school trips (e.g. the year 10 snowdome trip) when they return to school or in September.

We are sorry that your children are at home, but we have to follow the government's current guidelines. It is likely that if this continues, we may need to send home full year group bubbles but we are not at this point yet. Hopefully, if we all work together this can be avoided. Work will be provided for students that are isolating via teams.

Please stay well and safe.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Abram
Head of School