

17 January, 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

Reflection

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted"

Funeral for Daniel

Please be reminded that school will be closed tomorrow so that our community can pay their respects to Daniel. At 9.00am tomorrow, the time of the funeral, we have asked the other catholic schools in our diocese to light a candle and say The Hail Mary for Daniel. You are welcome to join us in prayer at this time.

Your child's teacher will today send home learning for your child to do tomorrow.

There will be a class mass for the children of Year 3 and Year 4 next Tuesday at school.

Changes to COVID isolation rules.

Today, there are new rules starting:

Any child who develops symptoms or tests positive for Covid must immediately self-isolate.

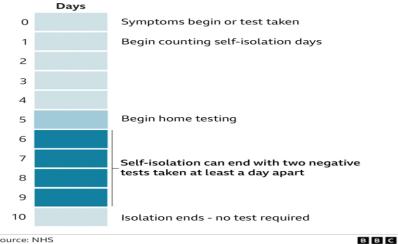
-The day symptoms begin or they test positive is Day Zero.

-The next day is Day One of their isolation period.

-Your child can take their first lateral flow test on Day Five. If it is negative, they can take another test 24 hours later on Day Six.

- Assuming this is also negative - and your child does not have a temperature then your child can immediately leave isolation and return to school.

How five-day isolation rule works in England



Source: NHS



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New school website

Just a reminder that we have a new website and this can reached <u>here</u>.

Emotional Literacy and Worry Management Parent Workshop.

If you have concerns about your child's emotions such as you feel they are suffering from anxiety then there is a free workshop you can sign up to <u>here</u> that offers support.

Thank you for your continued support for the school,

God Bless,

Mr Lobb & Mr Sellors



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