



'We Care, We Share, We Believe, We Achieve'

CHILDERIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Health and Illness Procedures

Children and staff must only attend school if they are well. If a child is unwell then the parent must telephone the school in the morning to explain the child's symptoms.

If a member of staff or a pupil or anyone in their household has symptoms of coronavirus they must stay at home and inform the school immediately.

If a staff member or pupil develops symptoms of coronavirus whilst in school, they will be sent home immediately. If unsure, an adult will check a pupil's temperature.

In the case of a pupil having symptoms in school, an adult from the pupil's class will accompany the pupil to the isolation room and inform a senior leader who will telephone parents. The pupil will wait for their parent in the isolation room.

Adults or children with symptoms must self-isolate for 10 days. Other household members must also self-isolate for 10 days.

Anyone with symptoms must be tested for coronavirus.

Book a test online by visiting: <https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test>

Where the staff member or pupil tests positive, the school will follow the advice of the NHS Test and Trace Service and the Local Health Protection Team. Based on the advice given, it is likely that the rest of their class will be sent home and told to self-isolate for 10 days. If it is deemed necessary, a larger number of other pupils and adults may be asked to self-isolate at home as a precautionary measure.

Where the staff member or pupil tests negative, they should return to school.

The main symptoms of coronavirus are:

A high temperature

A new, continuous cough

A loss or change to your sense of smell and taste