

Dear Parents and Carers

In school Lateral Flow Testing

Schools have been asked to test pupils once before they return to school in January 2022. Schools have been allowed to stagger the restart to term 3 to accommodate this. Tuesday 4th January is a staff development day, but we will be using this day to start the testing in order to try and reduce the impact on missed lesson time. Our testing schedule is as follows

Day	Year group being tested	Year groups being taught in School
Tuesday 4 th Jan	11, 12 and 13	None. Staff development day
Wednesday 5 th Jan	7 and 8	11, 12 and 13
Thursday 6 th Jan	9 and 10	7, 8, 11, 12 and 13
Friday 7 th Jan	none	All pupils in

Work will be provided via Teams for pupils working at home on 5th and 6th January.

As is always the case with Lateral Flow testing, we will only test those pupils who have consent. If you have already given us consent for testing in September, you do not need to provide consent again. If you have not given consent and wish to do so, please use the following link to a google form. https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdEmhJ8OITQO_bOi-UehbxNWmPUDgQfUnckDyOCCi5_yTdF0w/viewform

Appointments for tests can be made via the parents evening booking system on the school website. <https://saintgeorgescofe.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

If you are unable to come into school, then please use the home testing kits that will be sent home with your child this week. Please email your results to covidresults@saintgeorgescofe.kent.sch.uk

If your son or daughter has any of the COVID symptoms on the day of testing please keep them at home and follow the NHS advice.

Unfortunately, parents will be unable to come onto site to accompany their children during the tests. If you are bringing them into school, we ask that you drop them off near the school and wait whilst they are having their test.

Thank you for your continuing support.



Mr Matt Lillie

Head of School