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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you are all well.

I wanted to update you on the situation at our school with regards to COVID-19. Since Monday we have had 3 confirmed cases within our school community; 2 members of the catering team and one child. Following discussions with Public Health England regarding all three cases we have followed their advice as to who should self-isolate. One of the members of the catering team and the child have not been in school since before half term and therefore no further action is required. Unfortunately, as the other member of the catering team has been in school this week, it has resulted in the whole of the catering team having to self-isolate together with two children who came into close contact.

Unfortunately from tomorrow, another school will be providing our children with a packed lunch which will consist of a sandwich, veg, fruit, yoghurt and cake. No hot option will be available. We will of course be advising the other school of any allergies and dietary needs. We hope to resume normal lunches on 16<sup>th</sup> November and will keep you updated on this situation.

We have reiterated to staff and pupils about the need to keep a 2m distance from each other and have appreciated that the majority of parents and carers have worn face masks when bringing and collecting the children to school today.

As always, if you, your child or any member of your household show COVID-19 symptoms, you must not come to school and book a test immediately. If you are aware that you have been in close contact with someone who is positive, you need to isolate. If your children were not part of this close contact, they will be required to come to school.

Thank you for your ongoing support. We are doing our best to keep everyone as safe as possible.

Yours sincerely,

Corrine Penhale  
Headteacher

