



22<sup>nd</sup> July 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

### Asymptomatic Testing

As with the return in March, the Department for Education have requested that we once more complete Asymptomatic Testing before pupils return to school. The government guidance is that all students are to take two lateral flow tests before they return to school.

Taking into account feedback from parents and students, there is a preference that these tests would be best completed at home. I am therefore asking for students to complete these tests at home under your supervision.

The testing schedule is set out below:

**Collection of Test Kits:** Thursday 2nd and Friday 3rd September

**Completion and Reporting of First Test:** Thursday 2nd September

**Completion and Reporting of Second Test:** Sunday 5th September

Test Kits can be collected from Reception between 1:30 and 3:30 on Thursday 2nd and Friday 3rd September. If you are already have the blue self-test kits either through the school or other avenues, then I should advise you that they are non-perishable and can be used for the completion of the first and second tests.

Once you have completed your test you must register your result with the NHS and the school:

<https://www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result>

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf3ZuUUOE\\_zokFPEU5kS2MAvb0QBwIoBinAJ1wWL9r2WqeGCA/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf3ZuUUOE_zokFPEU5kS2MAvb0QBwIoBinAJ1wWL9r2WqeGCA/viewform)

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As with the March return, the tests are recommended, and no pupils will be denied education for non-participation. If you have already given permission for your child to be tested, you do not need to do anything further. If you have not previously given permission but would like to do so, please complete as a matter of priority the consent form by clicking on the link: <https://forms.gle/xXFr9NblZ4cUZBZA8>

Parents or Carers who require special assistance or do not feel capable of administering a test can book a place for their child to have the test supervised at the Academy by emailing [uc@hylands-tkat.org](mailto:uc@hylands-tkat.org) stating the full name and Year Group of your child and the reason for requesting special assistance.

As a reminder, Years 7 and 11 will return at 8:30 on Monday 6th September, Year 12 will return at 11:20 on Monday 6th September. All other year groups will return at 8:30 on Tuesday 7th September.

Thank you for your continued support and enjoy the summer.

Yours faithfully

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