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Dear Parents

For the purpose of track and trace, can I please remind you that if your son or daughter tests positive for covid-19 over the half term holiday, **in addition to informing NHS Track and Trace**, it is important to continue to notify the school via [admin@ripongrammar.com](mailto:admin@ripongrammar.com). This email will be monitored several times on a daily basis.

In the event of a positive case, the school will put into operation its covid response strategy and liaise with Public Health England and NHS Track and Trace. This may result in other students being requested to self-isolate during the half term break, **in which case we shall contact you by email**. In addition, the school may request that return after half term is delayed for those affected to ensure the 14 days isolation period is adhered to.

As a reminder, we would normally ask all staff and students to self-isolate if they had been in face to face contact at less than 1 metre, or over 15 minutes contact at less than 2 metres, with someone who tests positive. This would apply to all contact 48 hours prior to the onset of symptoms. Self-isolation would last for 14 days from that date.

In the meantime can I take this opportunity to wish all students and parents a restful and, I hope, Covid-free half term.

Best wishes

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