

# STANLEY PARK JUNIOR SCHOOL

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A "Sense of Pride"

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you had a very Merry Christmas and wish you a very Happy New Year. We look forward to the term ahead although we are sure Covid will still provide us with some challenges!

Due to the isolation rules changing in December, we attach for your attention SPJS guidance for what to do if your child, or someone in your house, tests positive for Covid. In order for us to track Covid related absences more easily, we have introduced a Google Form that must be completed rather than calling or emailing the office when your child is off school for Covid. <https://forms.gle/qLsqd3FDcU7jTDqR7>

A link to this form will also be on the front page of our website.

**For all non Covid related absences, please email the office or call the absence line as normal.**

I hope that many of you have been able to secure a Lateral Flow Test for your child before returning to school tomorrow. If you have been unable to source any, your child may still attend school as long as there is no-one in the household currently with Covid. If there is Covid in your household, your child must remain at home until you are able to source daily LFTs or until 10 days have passed in line with guidance <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection> Remote learning will be provided for children who are isolating due to Covid.

In school, we will continue to keep year groups as separate as possible whilst inside. We will continue to ventilate the school and ensure regular hand-washing. Your child may want to wear a vest/under-layer to keep them warm. Please be reassured we will not have all windows and doors wide open all day and will aim to keep the school at a good working temperature.

We would be grateful if all adults could continue to wear a mask when speaking with members of staff in the playground or when coming into the reception area.

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to seeing you tomorrow.

Mrs Lamy and Mrs Burridge

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Deputy Headteacher: Julia Burridge BA (Hons)



# ISOLATION GUIDANCE AT SPJS DUE TO COVID-19 (Jan 2022)

Who?	If they have symptoms or a positive LFT result	If someone in their house (or close contact) has Covid.
Children aged 5 and over.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Confirm with a PCR</li> <li>Isolate for 10 days unless LFTs taken on day 6 and day 7 (24hrs apart) are both negative.</li> </ul> <p>Child may only return to school on day 8 if they have had had two previous negative LFTs (on day 6 and 7) and have no temperature.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Child does not need to isolate and may attend school. We strongly advise LFT daily for 7 days. (However, it would be best for a child to stay at home and do remote learning if they cannot fully isolate from family member who is positive)</li> </ul> <p>If child develops symptoms, is positive on LFT or starts to feel unwell, arrange for a PCR and remain at home whilst waiting for result.</p>
Adults who are fully vaccinated (2 doses)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Confirm with a PCR</li> <li>Isolate for 10 days unless LFTs taken on day 6 and day 7 (24hrs apart) are both negative.</li> </ul> <p>Adult may only return to school on day 8 if two previous negative LFTs and have no temperature.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do not need to isolate (However, it would be best to stay at home if you can't isolate from family member who is positive)</li> <li>Strongly advise LFT daily for 7 days</li> </ul> <p>If adult develops symptoms, is positive on LFT or starts to feel unwell, arrange for a PCR and remain at home whilst waiting for result</p>
Adults who are not fully vaccinated	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Confirm with a PCR</li> <li>Isolate for 10 days unless LFTs taken on day 6 and day 7 (24hrs apart) are both negative.</li> </ul> <p>Adult may only return to school on day 8 if two previous negative LFTs and have no temperature.</p>	<p>You must isolate for 10 days</p>

Guidance taken from:

[https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment\\_data/file/1044530/Schools\\_guidance\\_Jan\\_22.pdf](https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/1044530/Schools_guidance_Jan_22.pdf)  
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection#samehousehold>

## Examples of when to end self-isolation if you have had COVID-19 symptoms or have received a positive COVID-19 test result

