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Monday, 16 March 2020

Dear Parents and Carers of Wingrave Pre-School and Wingrave CE School

**We are pleased to inform you that the test for suspected Coronavirus within the pre-school and school community has come back negative and that no further action is necessary.** Although this is reassuring, we will remain vigilant and continue to highlight the following:

- We will continue to remind the children about basic hygiene including handwashing and the use of the disinfectant hand-gel provided.
- Families should be aware of new symptoms of high fevers (37.8 degrees or above) or persistent coughs and call NHS 111 with any concerns.
- **Only people experiencing specific symptoms need to self-isolate** even if living or working in proximity to someone else with symptoms.
- Self-isolation for those individuals should be maintained for 7 days with specific guidance available here <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-people-with-confirmed-or-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection>.
- The pre-school will continue to follow the school's model of dismissing children outside the building to reduce unnecessary foot traffic.
- From today, if the pre-school or school identify symptoms in children while in our care, we will ask for those children to be collected as soon as possible in order for them to be self-isolated as a precaution.
- Before and after-school care arrangements, in association with the pre-school and 'Simply Out of School', will continue to operate as normal within our procedures.
- If families are choosing to self-isolate as a precaution because relatives, or they themselves, are in a high-risk category, please inform the pre-school and or school.

Any further developments will be considered in collaboration and on an individual basis in line with the official guidance we continue to receive but, if you have any specific questions, please do refer to <https://www.gov.uk/government/topical-events/coronavirus-covid-19-uk-government-response> or contact us in pre-school or school.

Thank you all for your patience and understanding at this time of uncertainty.

Yours sincerely

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"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Philippians 4:13