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Dear Parent/Carer

Today we will send each student home with a further two home testing boxes so that they can continue to test over the Easter break. There are six individual tests and I ask that tests are carried out on the following days:-

- o Sunday 04/04/21
- o Wednesday 07/04/21
- o Sunday 11/04/21
- Wednesday 14/04/21
- Sunday 18/04/21
- Wednesday 21/04/21

Tests need to be taken three days apart. School staff will also be taking their tests every Sunday afternoon and Wednesday evening to allow for this time in between testing.

The guidance from the NHS states that all positive tests must be reported to them but they also ask for you to report negative ones too. If your child does test positive on Sunday 18 April 2021 or afterwards, please contact school immediately. Do not send your child into school and we will explain the next steps for you as a family. The details on how to record the results are on page 15 of the help guide.

The Government have also said that parents and adults who form part of support bubble are able to collect free lateral flow tests from their local testing centre. Our local test centre is Richmond Drive Coach Park, Richmond Drive, Skegness, PE25 3PQ. It is a drive through centre open from 1:00pm-8:00pm. Further information can also be found at https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests

If you have any questions please contact your child's year team in the first instance.

Yours sincerely

Mr S Kemshall

Deputy Principal