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Dear Parents/Carers

**Re: Lateral Flow Testing at Home**

Covid-19 testing remains important in reducing the risk of transmission of infection within schools.

I am asking all parents and carers to please ensure their children continue to test twice weekly at home, using either a lateral flow device (LFD) test kits or the new Orient Gene test kits, 3 to 4 days apart. Testing remains voluntary but is strongly encouraged.

It is also important that the results are reported at <https://www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result>

Videos showing the correct way to take a test can be viewed using the links below:

Green and white pack (Orient Gene): nose-only test

<https://youtu.be/ZeX5txiZPyI>

Blue and white pack: throat and nose test

<https://youtu.be/S9XR8RZxKNo>

Yours faithfully

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Principal