

Testing can be arranged by calling 119 or via the NHS website: [nhs.uk/coronavirus](https://www.nhs.uk/coronavirus)

When the result of the child's test is known, further advice will be available.

How to stop COVID-19 spreading

There are things you can do to help reduce the risk of you and anyone you live with getting ill with COVID-19:

- wash your hands with soap and water often – do this for at least 20 seconds
- use hand sanitiser gel if soap and water are not available
- wash your hands as soon as you get home
- cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze
- put used tissues in the bin immediately and wash your hands afterwards

Further information

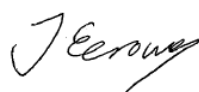
Further information is available at [nhs.uk/coronavirus](https://www.nhs.uk/coronavirus). I have also attached the helpful PHE 'Covid-19 Guide for Parents' that was circulated previously.

I fully appreciate the magnitude of this decision but the school, following consultation and advice from Public Health professionals, has concluded that the safest thing to do is to close the Year 10 bubble.

To ensure continuity of education in this crucial year, I would be grateful if you could read the attached letter that outlines the remote learning provision for your child during this self-isolation period.

I recognise that receiving this letter may be upsetting and that this is a challenging situation for you and your family. If you require any further support, please do hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J E Crowe'.

J E Crowe
Principal