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Dear Parents and Carers

It has been wonderful to welcome all students back to school and continue to foster a curiosity and thirst for knowledge across our curriculum and provide our students with opportunity and choice. This will be our only planned letter this week and includes information on home testing and school communication.

Home Testing

Following the successful completion of our in-school testing programme if you have consented to be part of the home testing programme this will begin this week. Students will receive two packs containing three tests which they are to use twice weekly with each test being between two to four days apart. If your child is in Years 7, 8 and 9 they will receive their testing kits on Thursday and if your child is in Year 10 or Year 11 they will receive their testing kits on Friday.

The home testing kits will be distributed by tutors during Tutor Time every three weeks and students will sign to say they have received their test kits. We are providing students with enough tests to cover three weeks to minimise the disruption to our Tutor Time programme. Further testing kits will be distributed the week before Easter, so that testing can continue and results will need to be reported over the Easter period.

Once home testing commences can you please report results to studenttestresults@newfield.sheffield.sch.uk. All results must be reported even if they are negative. When you are reporting your test results please include the student's name, year group, date of test and result. Results must also be reported to NHS Track and Trace and details of how to do this can be found at the following web address: <https://www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result>

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School Communication

At Newfield School we value the importance of communication. We use Edulink One to share key information, student reports, messages and letters with our school community. If you have not already done so please download the Edulink One App to your smart phone, tablet or other devices. Moving forward we will be using push notifications through the app and emails. If you don't know or have forgotten your login details please contact the school at mloxley@newfield.sheffield.sch.uk or enquiries@newfield.sheffield.sch.uk.

We finish this letter by saying thank you to our Newfield School community who have been part of the 'Allied Effort' to follow the guidance, protect the NHS and ultimately save lives. This has played a large part in being able to re-open and welcome our students back through our doors; giving us the opportunity to deliver the education our students deserve face to face.

Yours faithfully



Mr C Jenkinson
Co-Headteacher



Mr S Dawson
Co-Headteacher