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In the Event of a Confirmed Positive Covid-19 Case in Your Child's Class

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Dear parent/guardian,

GSNP are very aware of the issue that arises for parents if/when there is a delay in a response from the HSE in how to advise parents re:actions to take. To date there was one case where there was a 24 hour timeframe prior to receiving instruction from the HSE in how to proceed. This led to parents having to make a personal decision on whether their child should attend school the following day or not. If a parent is faced with this dilemma the school recommend the following:

Context: Positive Covid Case in a class

Issue: Still awaiting instruction from HSE in how to advise parents

Recommendation: If a situation arises where there is a delay in the HSE reverting and identifying who should restrict movements in a class, the school appeals to parents to take cautious action and that children seated at the same Pod as the positive case, restrict their movements until we receive confirmation from the HSE in how to advise. Restricted movements means avoiding contact with other people and social situations as much as possible.

Should this dilemma present itself, the school will inform the parents of children who are sitting at the same Pod as the positive case to support a parent and reduce the pressure in having to make this decision themselves

Contact:

You can contact the school via telephone call during school hours or alternatively by using the following email address at any time: covid.gsnp@gmail.com

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