

CROSSACRES NEWSLETTER

9th October 2020

CORONAVIRUS SYMPTOMS

Pupils

As a precaution, please be alert for any symptoms of COVID-19:

- A new or continuous cough – this means coughing a lot for more than an hour or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours
- A high temperature
- A loss of or change to sense of smell or taste – this means they cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal.

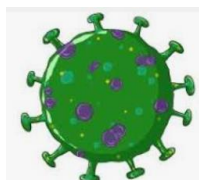
If your child has any of the main symptoms of Coronavirus please get a test as soon as possible. You can arrange this by calling **119**. **Your child must not attend school.**

Pupils must not attend school if you or any of your household have symptoms of Covid-19 however mild, you should self-isolate for at least 10 days from when your symptoms started and arrange to have a test. **All other members of the household need to self-isolate for 14 days or until you receive a negative test result.**

During the school day

If a child develops symptoms throughout the day, their parents will be contacted and the child will be sent home and advised to get a test. **All household members will need to self-isolate pending the outcome of the test.** A text message will be sent to the parents of the children in the class to inform them that a child has developed symptoms. The Government guidance is that all other children should continue to attend school and if the child tests positive for Covid 19, the school will contact you to take the next steps.

For further information please visit www.gov.uk/coronavirus



BLACK HISTORY MONTH



The month of October is Black History Month in the UK and teachers at Crossacres Primary have planned a series of lessons, activities and classroom assemblies to take place, which are designed to explore this area of the curriculum. During Black History Month, we will remember, research and celebrate the important people from the past and also those who contribute to and help our society today.

DATA COLLECTION SHEETS

We will be sending out Data Collection sheets to all pupils, please check that the information is correct, complete any missing details and return to the school office. It is very important we have the correct details on our system in case of emergencies and to keep parents updated of Coronavirus communication.



SCOOTERS / BIKES

In the interests of health and safety please do not ride scooters or bikes in the playground. Thank you.

SCHOOL ENTRANCES

In order for parents and children to maintain social distancing and pass safely, please do not congregate by school entrances after drop-off. Thank you.