

## Dear Parent/Carer

The Local Authority has reported another drop in Covid-19 case numbers across the county at the end of last week, although they are anticipating an increase over this week.

We have received a number of notifications of positive results from last night. Please could we ask that every effort is made to carry out the twice weekly tests and ensure that the results are logged with us using the links. **Only 45% of Wednesday's test results have been submitted so far**. At present we have the following Covid-19 cases. We are also aware of some staff members and students awaiting PCR results as close contacts.

Year 7: 2 PCR and 1 LFT

Year 8: 3 PCR and 3 LFT

Year 9: 1 LFT

Year 10: 3 PCR and 2 LFT

Year 11: 1 LFT

Staff: 1 PCR and 2 LFT

Over half of our recent confirmed positive cases have been triggered by positive LFTs. In the absence of self-isolation requirements for close contacts, it's really important that all members of the College community test regularly and follow other measures to minimise the risk of transmission. If you require more tests please let reception know so that we can issue them to your child.

Thank you for your support.

Best wishes

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