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**FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE PERSON WITH PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY**

**Re: Home Testing Arrangements**

Firstly, I would like to say what a fantastic return to school we have had this week. I have been so proud of the way that our students have conducted themselves during testing and around the school building.

On Monday 15<sup>th</sup> March students will be tested for the third time in school. At the end of the test they will be issued with a home testing kit in order to continue the testing process until the end of term. Each kit contains three tests and an instruction leaflet. Please supervise your child to take the test as per the table below.

Date	Instruction
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	Complete test by 7.00 pm
Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	Complete test by 7.00 pm
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	Complete test by 7.00 pm
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	New home testing kit issued by the school
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Complete test by 7.00 pm
Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Complete test by 7.00 pm
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> April	New guidance will be issued with instructions for the Easter holiday
Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Complete test by 7.00 pm

You must inform the school immediately if the result is POSITIVE. You can do this by email to [office@biddulphhigh.co.uk](mailto:office@biddulphhigh.co.uk)

You should follow the instructions in the kit to report the results. You can do so online at [www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result](http://www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result) or by telephoning 119.

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Each kit contains clear instructions on how to conduct the test. Your child has been shown how to swab at school and should be able to do this easily for themselves. However, if for any reason it is not possible for your child to complete the test at home, please contact the school office as we can offer tests in school for a limited number of students.

If you would like to have testing kits for the rest of the family, you can collect them from a local collection point. Details of collection points can be found online <https://find-covid-19-rapid-test-sites.maps.test-and-trace.nhs.uk/>

You can also order testing kits for home delivery, online <https://www.gov.uk/government/news/covid-19-home-testing-kits-now-easier-to-order>

If you have any concerns or queries, please contact the school office. We will continue to update you as and when guidance on the testing process changes.

Thank you for your ongoing patience and support.

Yours faithfully,



E C Robinson  
Headteacher

