



# FLORENCE MELLY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

IF YOU CAN DREAM IT, YOU CAN DO IT!



Bushey Road  
Liverpool  
L4 9UA  
0151 226 1929  
[www.florencemelly.org](http://www.florencemelly.org)

Monday 20th September 2021

Dear parents/carers,

We have been made aware that another member of 2B has tested positive for COVID-19. In order to keep our school community safe and our children in school there are things you can do to help reduce the risk of you, your child or anyone else you live with, getting ill with COVID-19.

### Household testing

We strongly recommend that eligible household members do a rapid LFT test twice a week (every 3 to 4 days) to check to see if they have the virus. If people test positive and self-isolate, it helps stop the virus spreading. Even if you're vaccinated, there's still a chance you can pass COVID-19 on, so you should test regularly. To access home test kits, please click the following link: <https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests>.

### How to stop COVID-19 spreading

- wash your hands with soap and water often – do this for at least 20 seconds
- use hand sanitiser gel if soap and water are not available
- wash your hands as soon as you get home
- cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze
- put used tissues in the bin immediately and wash your hands afterwards

### Symptoms of COVID-19

If your child develops COVID-19 symptoms they should take a PCR test and isolate. COVID-19 symptoms are:

- new continuous cough and/or
- high temperature and/or
- a loss of, or change in, normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

For most people, coronavirus (COVID-19) will be a mild illness. You can seek advice from NHS 111 at <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/check-if-you-have-coronavirus-symptoms/> or by phoning 119.

Further information is available at <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/>.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Mr Leach  
Headteacher

# IF YOU CAN DREAM IT, YOU CAN DO IT!