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Dear parent/guardian,

### Covid 19 Home testing

**We would like to remind parents again of the procedures for twice weekly home testing of students for Covid 19 and reporting the results – this is critical given the new variant which is currently in circulation. Staff are also carrying out testing twice weekly.**

It is imperative that students continue to test for Covid 19 twice a week at home:

- Testing should be done at home twice weekly, 3-5 days apart every Sunday and Wednesday evening using the home test kits provided.
- Report results online as positive, negative or void. This information is essential in gaining information on the prevalence of the virus across the country. By taking a test, you are obliged to report ALL results to both the NHS and the school. Please use the following links to report ALL results:

To report to school click on the link below:

[Home testing lateral flow test results for students at Shenley Academy](#)

To report to the NHS:

<https://www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result>

Please rest assured that we are taking every precaution here at the academy to ensure the safety and wellbeing of our students and staff, including regular and focussed cleaning of the academy, social distancing and ensuring good hand and respiratory hygiene.

Parents and carers are reminded that if you or your child show any symptoms of the virus you should arrange a PCR Covid 19 test as soon as possible. To access testing, you can use the online booking service at [www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test-or-call-119](http://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test-or-call-119). Please click [here](#) for the NHS' guide to COVID-19 symptoms.

Kind regards,



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Head Teacher