

Dear parents and carers,

Some of those who are attending this evening's presentation have been contacted as they have been considered to be potential contacts of someone who has tested positive on a lateral flow test. This person is awaiting the results of their PCR test to confirm this. They are not in school and now self-isolating.

Those who are contacted have been advised to get a PRECAUTIONARY PCR test – but they don't have to. They do not need to self-isolate if they are contacts.

There will be around 45 people at this evening's presentation and we will be in the hall and the common room. This does not allow for social distancing, however, we do not adhere to this in the school in any case.

This may affect your decision as to whether you attend if you are vulnerable, or you are in contact with someone who is vulnerable or if you simply prefer not to. If you can please wear a mask. If you wish to take a lateral flow test you can. All our staff and those pupils who are able and choose to will have had a lateral flow test today.

There is no reason why we can't have the event or necessarily need to amend any of our current practice as we would only need to do this on the advice of Health and Safety and if there was a significant outbreak, but it would be sensible for us to behave more cautiously than we have been given that there are attendees from outside school.

Many thanks and we look forward to seeing you later, however if you choose to not attend please let the school office know by calling or emailing reception@ashlea.notts.sch.uk



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