



THE CORBET SCHOOL

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Dear Parent / Guardian

In addition to the general increase in positive cases experienced last week, we have had another 8 cases reported today.

Therefore, we currently have 30 positive cases in total which represents 1 positive case in every 25 pupils.

In order to reduce the rate of transmission we need to take additional precautions in school, and therefore **we will return to wearing face coverings** when inside the building with immediate effect.

Mask wearing continues to be a requirement on school buses and we ask all pupils to continue this practice in school until we feel the number of cases reduces to a manageable level. We will review this decision again on Friday.

We are mindful that this decision has been communicated at short notice, and we will have additional masks available at the entrance into school each morning.

Ultimately the wearing of face coverings remains a personal choice and we will continue to respect this choice and any medical exceptions that apply to some individuals.

However, we believe this is the right approach to reduce the transmission levels, keep our children as safe as possible and keep as many pupils as possible in school.

Thank you for your continued support.

Dr J Tinker
Head