



# CORONAVIRUS RELATED ABSENCE REFERENCE GUIDE FOR PARENTS/CARERS

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What to do if:	Action needed:	Return to school when:
<b>My son has coronavirus symptoms</b> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>DO NOT</b> send your son to school</li> <li>- Inform school immediately</li> <li>- Your son must self-isolate</li> <li>- Get your son tested</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The test comes back negative</li> </ul>
<b>My son tests positive for coronavirus</b> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>DO NOT</b> send your son to school</li> <li>- Inform school immediately</li> <li>- Your son must self-isolate for at least 10 days</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Your son can return to school after <b>10 days</b> even if he has a cough or loss of taste and smell. These symptoms can last for several weeks once the infection has gone</li> </ul>
<b>Somebody in my household has coronavirus symptoms</b> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>DO NOT</b> send your son to school</li> <li>- Inform school immediately</li> <li>- Your son must self-isolate</li> <li>- Household member to get a test</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The household member's test is negative</li> </ul>
<b>Somebody in my household has tested positive for coronavirus</b> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>DO NOT</b> send your son to school</li> <li>- Inform school immediately</li> <li>- Your son must self-isolate for <b>14 days</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Your son has completed <b>14 days</b> of self-isolation</li> </ul>
<b>NHS test and trace has identified my son as a 'close contact' of somebody with symptoms or confirmed coronavirus</b> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>DO NOT</b> send your son to school</li> <li>- Inform school immediately</li> <li>- Your son must self-isolate for <b>14 days</b> or follow the guidance given in the test and trace message.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Your son has completed <b>14 days</b> of self-isolation</li> </ul>
<b>We have travelled or may travel and my son must self-isolate as part of period of quarantine</b> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>DO NOT</b> take unauthorised leave in term time</li> <li>- Consider quarantine requirements and FCO advice when booking travel</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Your son's quarantine period of <b>14 days</b> has been completed</li> <li>- <i>NB: any unauthorised absence is recorded and further action may be taken if appropriate.</i></li> </ul>

If your son is self-isolating he must complete his online work through  
Oak Academy <https://www.thenational.academy/> and  
Show My Homework <https://rokeby.satchelone.com/school/homeworks/calendar>

General Covid-19 advice can be found here:

[NHS COVID-19 information and advice](#) [Latest Government guidance](#)