

Dear Parents,

I am sure that you have all been watching the news this weekend and keeping track of what is happening regarding the spread of the Coronavirus.

I wanted to write to you to update you on additional measures we are taking in school to keep everyone safe.

- Visitors to the school are being asked to antibac their hands as they enter and as they leave.
- Children are washing their hands with soap and water upon entering the classroom and before leaving at the end of the day. They are also washing their hands or antibacbing before eating and after using the toilet (which they should be doing anyway!)
- Computer keyboards, handrails, bannisters, door knobs and door plates are being cleaned daily, in addition to the usual daily cleaning of the rest of the school.
- We have plenty of tissues (as a result of tissues for trainers day) and children are being directed to try and sneeze into a tissue if they can, or the inside of their elbow.

This email is designed to reassure you, rather than alarm you. It is better to be sensible and cautious as the virus seems to be spreading rapidly. We have no known or suspected cases in the school and these measures have been put in place to keep things that way.

If that situation changes I will contact you again.

In the meantime, children are expected to attend as normal and the school remains fully open.

Kind regards

Miss McGann