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Dear Parents and Carers,

Not long until the 8th March now! Thank you to everyone who has been logging onto the daily googlemeet sessions. It has been great to see the children re-establishing their relationships with their classmates and adults ready to reunite in person next Monday.

From 8 March, school attendance will be mandatory and our usual rules on attendance will apply. We are looking forward to having all our children back at school and will support any pupils who have any anxiety. Senior staff will be on all of the gates daily and if you have any concerns please let them know.

This week the Government has introduced the opportunity for adults in the households of Primary School children to have access to Lateral Flow tests. These have been introduced to keep our community even safer when we all come back. Staff have been testing twice weekly and it has given us greater confidence in the safety of our school bubbles. It is welcome news to now have these available to adults in our pupil's households. This will further support the safe return to full time education for all.

I have attached a leaflet from the London Borough of Enfield on: Rapid lateral flow testing for households and bubbles of school pupils and staff in order for you to read the key information and be aware of how to access these for your family.

I know that the team at Chesterfield Primary School we are committed to our children's education, wellbeing and the physical/emotional safety of everyone in the community. We therefore remain absolutely committed to bringing our community back in a safe way. I can confidently say on behalf of all the staff that we are very excited to see everyone back in school on Monday!

We strongly encourage all our community to join us in twice weekly testing to further strengthen our confidence in the safety of our school bubbles as we fully open to all our pupils and families next week. The opportunity to access home testing kits is also available to your childcare/support bubbles so please spread the word!

If you would like to chat this through with us, please don't hesitate to give us a call. Stay safe,

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RAPID LATERAL FLOW TESTING

Households and bubbles of all school pupils and staff

From 1 March 2021, if you're a member of a household, childcare bubble or support bubble of staff or a pupil you can get a twice-weekly test. Here is how:

1 Take a test at a rapid lateral flow test site

Centres open 7 days a week 9-6pm

- Boundary Hall, 7 Snell's Park, N18 2SY
- Brigadier Hall, Cedar Road, EN2 0NL
- British Alevi Federation Community Centre, Great Cambridge Road, N9 0LE
- Green Towers Community Centre, Plevna Road, N9 0TE
- Kempe Hall, Kempe Road, Enfield, EN1 4QS
- Southgate Library, High Street, Southgate, N14 6BP
- John Wilkes House, 79 High Street, EN3 4EN

2 Collect test kits

You can collect 2 packs of home test kits at a local collection point. Each pack contains 7 tests.

Centres open daily 1.30pm-7pm

- Lea Valley Athletics Centre, N9 0AR
- Boleyn Hall, EN1 4HS
- Raynham Road Car Park, N18 2SJ
- Lodge Drive Car Park, N13 5UB

3 Order home test kits online

If you cannot attend a test site to be tested or collect home test kits you can order online for home delivery at:

<https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests>.

