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What Does a Wirral Lockdown Mean for Us?

Dear Parents and Carers,

Just to keep you up to date with Government information; it was announced this afternoon that Wirral will be one of a number of Local Authorities in the Liverpool region subject to lockdown from midnight on Saturday 3rd October. We are moving to this lockdown measure as COVID19 incidence rates are above 170 per 100,000.

This means that residents must not meet anyone outside their household or bubble in any indoor setting, including private homes and gardens. These measures will be enforceable by law and subject to fines, so please be careful to follow them.

It is also being recommended that people do not meet with anyone outside their household or bubble in outdoor public spaces, such as parks and outdoor hospitality (beer gardens etc.).

We are being advised to only travel for essential reasons, such as going to work, or school and are encouraged to walk or cycle where possible.

Schools and COVID-secure settings are not affected and Christ Church will remain open.

Childcare bubbles which allow families to share caring responsibilities with another household may continue, as long as they are consistent. This means that one family can look after another's child but you cannot change or mix across multiple groups; the childcare should be the same arrangement for this period of time.

As you know we closed one of our bubbles in school this week to minimise any possibility of the virus spreading through school. Thank-you so much to families for supporting this difficult decision and responding so quickly and also to the member of that bubble who reported test results to us so we could act to protect everyone.

We all hope that bubble closures do not occur and we can keep the whole school open. We are reliant on everyone following the guidance to reduce transmission;

- Washing hands
- Socially distancing
- Wearing face coverings
- Staying at home if unwell
- Booking a test if you display a high temperature, new consistent cough or loss of taste or smell
- Isolating your household if anyone has these symptoms whilst you wait for the test result
- Reporting positive test results to us straight away

All of these actions will help us to protect each other and will keep our school open as fully as we possibly can. Thank-you for your support,
Amanda Donelan
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