

# Dormers Wells High School

## MATHS AND COMPUTING SPECIALIST SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer,

The government updated its advice on the Coronavirus yesterday afternoon. The latest guidance can be found at the following website address: <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/wuhan-novel-coronavirus-information-for-the-public>

It is important to stress that the government and the NHS regard the risk to individuals in the UK as low. Please, however, be aware of the advice below.

If you have returned from the following specific areas since 19<sup>th</sup> February, you should call NHS 111, stay indoors, and avoid contact with other people even if you do not have symptoms:

- Iran
- Specific lockdown areas in Northern Italy
- Special care zones in South Korea
- Hubei province

If you have returned from the following areas since 19<sup>th</sup> February and develop symptoms, however mild, you should stay indoors at home and avoid contact with other people immediately and call NHS 111:

- Northern Italy (defined by a line above, and not including, Pisa, Florence and Rimini)
- Vietnam
- Cambodia
- Laos
- Myanmar

If you have a cough, or fever, or shortness of breath and have visited any of the following areas in the last 14 days, stay indoors and call NHS 111 informing them of your recent travel:

- China, apart from Hubei province
- Thailand
- Japan
- South Korea
- Hong Kong
- Taiwan
- Singapore
- Malaysia
- Macau



If your child is absent from school as a result of these preventative measures please contact us in the usual way.

We will update you if there is any further guidance from the government that differs significantly from that above.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D Fenlon', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Mr D. Fenlon  
Acting Headteacher