



Seahaven Academy

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Dear Parent/Carer

RE: Return to School COVID-19 Testing

Further to the information provided on 25th February relating to the return to school COVID-19 testing, I am pleased to update you with the timings of the testing for this coming week. The testing will be staggered across the latter part of the week during the school day. This will mean that students are absent from some online lessons, teachers are aware of the testing timetable and work will be set for students to complete. Students will be awarded an attendance mark for attending the testing session in school.

During the three-day period we have potentially 704 students to be tested and therefore it is important that students only arrive at the designated time slot for their tutor group. **Students who arrive at the incorrect time will not be given access to the site to complete testing.** Parents/carers will not be given access to the school site and must wait offsite during the testing period. The tests will take approximately 30 minutes to complete and students will be allowed to leave site when the result of their test is known. The schedule of how the testing will take place is summarised below:

Student Arrival – Enter through the High Cliff gate and line up 2m apart outside of the gym.
Testing – Students will enter the gym complete the testing.
Post Testing – Students move from the gym into the sports hall and sit socially distanced awaiting result.
Award of the Result – Students will be given the COVID-19 test result and dismissed from the sports hall
Positive Tests – Any student who tests positive will receive a follow up PCR test to be completed at home and parent/carers will be informed of the positive test.
Student Departure – Students will leave the site through the Haven Way gate. Students MUST go directly home after the testing.

The timetable for testing is shown below:

	Wednesday 3 rd March	Thursday 4 th March	Friday 5 th March
8.00		7KAL	
8.30	11JBA	7HCH	9KBB
9.00	11DB	7WNE	9SCO
9.30	11ZMC	7JPA	9CJO
10.00	11PMG	7CPR	9NJO
10.30	11KAH	7STH	9TP
11.00			



Principal Sarah Pringle

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11.30	10MTA	8APA	
12.00	10TFO	8CPK	
12.30	10JLF	8SRE	
13.00	10CM	8SSH	
13.30	10JAW	8LWE	

I will send all students a short video guide of what the testing will look like and how it is completed to their school email address prior to Wednesday. Students are not required to wear school uniform to complete the testing.

Only students who have completed consent forms can be tested and therefore I would urge you to complete the online form below should you wish for your son/daughter to be tested. Should you require any further additional information or have questions please do not hesitate to contact the school via the email address office@seahavenacademy.org.uk Please use Covid Testing as the subject for the message.

Following new government guidance, if your child has tested positive since the end of Term 3 (December) they do not need to take the tests for 90 days from their return to school. If this is the case please email WoodC@seahavenacademy.org.uk Your child would not need to attend the testing this week.

Yours Sincerely

Mr Newnham-Reeve
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