

27th November 2020

Dear Families,

I hope that you are all safe and well in these continued uncertain times.

In my letter dated 13th November, I reiterated the school's commitment to maintaining open and transparent communication with the whole school community should any of our pupils or staff receive a positive COVID-19 test result. I wrote to you on 20th November to let you know that there were **no** positive cases at Riverside School last week and I am pleased to say that there have been **no** positive cases reported this week either. We will, of course, remain extremely vigilant and continue to maintain the precautionary measures we have in place to reduce risks.

All pupils who previously had to stay at home are now back at school and there are currently a small number of pupils who are isolating at home for other reasons. We are all thinking of them and look forward to seeing them soon.

We know that yesterday's announcement about the new Coronavirus restrictions will affect people in different ways but despite the continuing anxiety and uncertainty about what the coming weeks will bring, one thing remains certain. We will remain positive and continue to do everything we can to ensure your child's final three weeks of term are filled with experiences and memories they will love and remember. Our ARCHITECT values:

Aspiration Resilience Creativity Humility Integrity Trust Enthusiasm Courage Teamwork

will continue to shape everything we do and together, we will get through this.

With kindest regards,



Steve Solomons
Headteacher