



LYDIARD PARK ACADEMY

Coronavirus related absences quick reference guide

What to do if...	Action needed	Code	Return to LPA when...
...my child has coronavirus symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not come to LPA • Contact LPA daily • Self-isolate • Get a test • Inform LPA immediately about test result 	Code X	...the test comes back negative.
...my child tests positive for coronavirus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not come to LPA • Contact LPA daily • Self-isolate for at least 10 days • Inform LPA immediately about test result 	Code I	...they feel better. They can return to the academy after 10 days even if they have a cough or loss of smell/taste. These symptoms can last for several weeks once the infection is gone.
...somebody in my household has coronavirus symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not come to LPA • Contact LPA daily • Self-isolate • Household member to get a test • Inform LPA immediately about test result 	Code X	...the household member's test is negative.
...NHS test and trace have identified my child as a 'close contact' of somebody with symptoms or confirmed coronavirus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not come to LPA • Contact LPA daily • Self-isolate for 14 days 	Code X	...the child has completed 14 days of self-isolation
...we/my child has travelled and has to self-isolate as part of a period of quarantine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not take unauthorised leave in term time • Consider quarantine requirements and FCO advice when booking travel • Provide information to LPA as per attendance policy <p><u>Returning from a destination where quarantine is needed:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not come to LPA • Contact LPA daily • Self-isolate for 14 days 	Code X	...the quarantine period of 14 days has been completed
...we have received medical advice that my child must resume shielding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not come to LPA • Contact LPA as required by the pastoral team • Shield until you are informed that restrictions are lifted and shielding is paused again 	Code X	...the academy informs you that restrictions have been lifted and your child can return to LPA again.

* If your child is healthy enough to follow lessons, they should log in to TEAMS and follow their normal timetable, where lessons will be streamed online.



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