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COVID case in our Y1/2 Bubble

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Dear Parents and Carers

Unfortunately, we have a confirmed COVID case in our Year 1 and 2 bubble. This means that the whole bubble (every child in Year 1 and Year 2) will be staying at home to self-isolate for 10 days.

This only affects children in Year 1 and Year 2. Y3/4 and YN/R bubbles are also currently isolating at home, following confirmed cases in those bubbles.

The current variant appears to be seriously affecting schools in our area and we would hate for more bubbles to close/close again so close to the end of term.

We understand some parents have queried whether siblings should be self-isolating - the information provided from Durham County Council in the link below gives further information regarding school self-isolation which we hope will help explain the systems further.

<https://www.durham.gov.uk/article/24953/Self-isolating-for-schools>

As always thank you for your support.

Mr Jones
Deputy Headteacher

