

Child Illness Flowchart for Parents

Would you have kept your child off school before COVID?

Yes

Keep your child off school.

No

Do they have at least one of the following symptoms:

- A high temperature
- A new, continuous cough
- A loss or change to their sense of smell or taste.

Yes

Keep your child off school and at home (and siblings)

Speak to 119 or go to www.gov.uk/coronavirus and arrange for a self test to be done.

Your child and your household **MUST** self-isolate until you have the result of this test.

No

Does your child have an underlying chronic medical condition such as:

- Cystic fibrosis
- Immunodeficiency/immunosuppression
- Recipient of solid organ transplant
- Taking long-term steroids taken in tablet form (not including inhaler)

Or any other conditions outlined in the full vulnerable conditions list at,

<https://www.rcpch.ac.uk/resources/covid-19-shielding-guidance-children-young-people>

Yes

Seek advice from your child's specialist health team

No

Children and young people who are otherwise well with:

- ⇒ Runny noses
- ⇒ Sore throats without a fever
- ⇒ Mild colds

Please attend school AS NORMAL