

Maiden Erlegh Trust
**FIRST AID POLICY ADDENDUM
(COVID- 19)**



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COVID 19 First Aid Addendum for Maiden Erlegh Trust Schools

This should be read in conjunction with the school's Supporting Students with Medical Needs policy.

Anyone presenting with a new and persistent cough and/or a high temperature and/or loss or change to their sense of smell or taste will be treated as a suspected Covid-19 case.

Children

Child has a new and persistent cough → Call home for immediate collection

Child's temperature is measured to be 38°C or above → Call home for immediate collection

Child reports a loss or change to their sense of smell or taste → Call home for immediate collection

- Isolate in medical room
- Attending member of staff to wear PPE (mask, plastic apron and gloves) following Trust guidelines.
- Advice letter to be handed to the collecting adult regarding isolation and testing
- Upon departure, room to be wiped down with anti-bacterial cleaner as well as door handles etc in the immediate vicinity
- Protective equipment to be double bagged and disposed of
- Report to School Business Manager
- Isolate for 7 days unless a negative Covid-19 test result is returned, in which case they should return to school once they are feeling well

Adult

Adult has a new and persistent cough → Go home immediately

Adult's temperature is measured to be 38°C or above → Go home immediately

Adult has a loss or change to their sense of smell or taste → Go home immediately

- Report to School Business Manager and Cover
- Site team to wipe down with anti-bacterial cleaner any surfaces, door handles etc that might have been touched
- Guidance to be sent/given on isolation and testing
- Isolate for 7 days unless a negative Covid-19 test result is returned, in which case they should return to school once they are feeling well

Communications

In the event that a confirmed case of Covid-19 is reported (ie a positive test result) we will communicate this to staff and students.