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## For the Information of PARENTS

**Re: Confirmed case of COVID-19** 

A confirmed case of COVID-19 in your child's school has been notified to the Department of Public Health HSE-South.

A public health risk assessment has been undertaken. Anyone identified as a close contact of the confirmed case is being contacted and advised accordingly.

If your child has not been identified as a close contact at this time, he/she does not need a test for Covid-19, can continue to attend school, and no further actions are currently required.

If your child develop any symptoms suggestive of Covid-19 infection (such as a cough, a fever, loss or change in sense of taste or smell)

- He/she should then stay at home, self-isolate and
- You should contact your GP for further advice

The Department of Public Health HSE-South is monitoring the school situation.

Further information on COVID-19 is available at: www.hpsc.ie and www.gov.ie

Yours sincerely,

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