

A new approach to close contacts – ‘daily contact testing’*

Printable guidance for Schools and Colleges

A new approach known as ‘**daily contact testing**’ has been developed to help find more asymptomatic cases. This will allow those (pupils/students and staff) who are in close contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 to return to school/college. If they agree to be tested for 7 days* following their last contact with a positive case.

IMPORTANT: If, at any point, a student, pupil or staff member begins displaying symptoms they must [follow government guidelines](#), [order a PCR test](#) and self-isolate.

