

## Walworth Primary School

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***“Supporting everyone’s emotional wellbeing and mental health, so that they can be listened to, are happy together and ready to learn.”***

Dear Parent/Carers,

Please read the below information carefully:

### **Public Health updates**

We have had some reports of parents attending DCC asymptomatic testing sites seeking a test for their symptomatic child, with parents reporting that they have been unable to access a PCR test via NHS Test and Trace.

### **Testing reminder for Parents and Carers.**

Have coronavirus symptoms and need a test?

If anyone in your household has symptoms you need to book a PCR (Polymerase Chain Reaction) test as soon as possible. For more information and to book a PCR test visit [www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test](http://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test) or call NHS test and trace free on 119

As coronavirus symptoms in children can vary it is advised that children who are unwell should not attend school until they are well again.

If you have difficulty accessing a PCR test your school may be able to help, as most schools retain a small stock of these tests.

Alternatively Durham County Council offers support to people seeking further advice about coronavirus through the County Durham Together Community Hub, details of which can be found at [www.durham.gov.uk/covid19help](http://www.durham.gov.uk/covid19help) or by phoning 03000 260 260.



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