

27<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

In response to the latest update to schools from the DfE (links below), a few families have contacted the schools in our Trust (namely The Langley Academy, The Langley Academy Primary and the Langley Heritage Primary) in relation to Coronavirus. We will follow the National advice, including the appropriate use of sanitisation in each of our schools and we will monitor the situation on a daily basis. As per the advice from the government yesterday, should families have visited any of the highlighted areas over the half term, please inform the school so that we are aware and can support you in monitoring the health of your child over the next few weeks.

We would like to reassure you that there remain no confirmed cases of Coronavirus in Slough, however the council continues to plan for every eventuality. This includes information and common questions including what people should do if they have returned to the UK from an area of concern.

There is a large amount of misinformation circulating on social media, including Facebook, twitter and WhatsApp. If you receive any questions or become aware of any of our schools being mentioned on social media please immediately share this with us. Slough has already had two incidents of this misinformation this week already, so please be proactive in supporting us on this issue.

Educational settings here: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19>

There is also the main page for the public with the latest national information here: <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/wuhan-novel-coronavirus-information-for-the-public> and new pages on the NHS website for people to get more information about the illness here: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19>

Yours sincerely



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