



**Our Ref:** LTM/kmd/Y8iso

24 November 2020

Dear Parent/Guardian

**Re : Extension of Isolation Period for students in 8X (Tutor Groups 8JAK/8JMO/8MBR)**

Can I first of all thank all parents for their support and understanding over the past few days as we have responded to the positive case of COVID within the 8x bubble; your comments and words of encouragement have been extremely well received.

I write to inform you that following further discussion with Public Health England (PHE), as a result of a second positive case in the same Year 8 bubble, the period of self-isolation for your child will be extended to 11:59pm on Thursday, 3rd December. Their first day back in school will therefore be Friday, 4th December. This change only affects students who are already self-isolating and are in the 8x bubble; the reason for this is that the student concerned has not been in school this week.

PHE have stated that there are no further actions the school is required to take, with the exception of the adjustment to timeline for those students concerned.

Can I again thank you for your continued support and should you need any further details please access the COVID UPDATES section of the school website:

<http://www.oldburywells.com/parent-information/covid-update>

Many thanks  
Yours faithfully

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