



Corby Business Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are incredibly proud of our students and the positive approach they have taken whilst returning to the Academy. Our students have shown maturity when taking their Covid tests and have adhered to our safety measures, remarkably well. All students who have parental consent have now been tested.

Once students receive their third test, the Academy are providing students with home testing kits. The kits come complete with an instruction leaflet and the details required for registering the results. There is also an online video which will remind students how to successfully complete their test www.gov.uk/covid19-self-test-help

A few key reminders are as follows:

- You MUST report a positive test result to the Academy by emailing <u>covid@corbybusinessacademy.org</u> and your child's base teacher
- ALL test results need to be recorded with the NHS. It is easier to log results if you create an
 account: www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result
- Ensure you select "school" as the reason for the test being completed
- The school postcode is: NN17 5EB
- You will need to scan or type the test strip barcode, this is printed on the testing cartridge
- You do not need your NHS number to record a result.

Each test kit contains 3 individual lateral flow tests, your child will be provided with 3 test kits in total and they are required to take a test every Wednesday and Sunday (we recommend the evening).

Your child should have already received their first test kit. Additional test kits will be issued on:

- Friday 26th March
- Tuesday 13th April

If your child is absent on the day the tests are issued, their base teacher will give them the home test kits on their return to school. However, if your child is absent throughout the last week of this half term, testing kits will be available for you to collect from the Academy between 9.00 a.m. and 2.00 p.m. from Monday 29th March – Thursday 1st April 2021 during the first week of the Easter holidays.

We would like to thank you for your continued support, and thank our team of staff who have ensured our testing process is smooth and efficient.

If you have any concerns about administering the tests at home please contact Miss Judge: clare.judge@corbybusinessacademy.org

We hope you have a lovely Easter break.

Yours sincerely

Miss C. Judge Assistant Unit Manager