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Dear Parents / Carers,

Your child completed the last of the school based Lateral Flow Tests today.

As before, it is important to complete the registration for your child's test by scanning the QR code on the front of the card, using a mobile phone or tablet. You should then follow the instructions that are given and input the information that is required. **Please note that the test site ID is GHSK.** You should complete this registration within 24 hours of getting tested, in order to receive your results.

If you forget to register the test, please don't be concerned. If your child does test positive, we will have a record of that here at school, and will inform you straight away.

Following the completion of in-school testing, they have also been supplied with LFD test kits to self-swab and test themselves twice a week at home, supervised or assisted by an adult if necessary. There is a leaflet with the kit which explains how to do the test. The first home test should be carried out *no sooner than three days after their final test in school*, and each test after that should be 3-5 days apart.

The result of every test must be reported to NHS Test and Trace as soon as the test is completed either online or by telephone as per the instructions in the home test kit. **In the case of a positive result, we would also require you to notify the school to help with contact tracing.** Testing remains voluntary but strongly encouraged.

Individuals with a positive LFD test result will need to self-isolate in line with the guidance for households with possible coronavirus infection.

Best Wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'M Pye'.

Mrs M Pye
Headteacher