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Dear Parents/Carers

We have a significant number of pupils and staff ill with diarrhoea and/or vomiting. Symptomatic children and staff are no longer attending the school.

We have notified Public Health and are following all their advice with regard to symptomatic children and staff being in school and ensuring our barrier cleaning processes are in place.

At this stage we are asking all parents/carers to be vigilant and alert for symptoms in their children and to follow the guidance below about whether they attend school or not.

- Symptomatic children and staff must remain away from the school/nursery until 48 hours after cessation of symptom. This means that if your child vomits or has diarrhoea they must stay off school until 48 hours has passed since their last bout of vomiting or diarrhoea, for example:
 - If your child's **last episode** of vomiting or has diarrhoea on -
 - Monday - return on Thursday
 - Tuesday - return on Friday
 - Wednesday - return following Monday
 - Thursday - return following Monday
 - Friday - return following Monday
 - Saturday - return following Tuesday
 - Sunday - return following Wednesday

Any symptomatic children will be looked after in area away from other children until they can be collected by parents/carers.

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU NOTIFY THE SCHOOL OFFICE IF YOUR CHILD IS UNWELL.

DUE TO ILLNESS WE HAVE HAD TO CANCEL TONIGHT'S BEDTIME STORIES & TOMORROW'S YR3 SPORTS FESTIVAL & TAMAR SWIMMING.
AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS WILL CONTINUE TO RUN AS NORMAL UNLESS YOU HEAR OTHERWISE VIA TEXT.

We will be monitoring numbers of pupils and staff with illness and updating Public Health regularly. If the advice received from Public Health changes we will notify you.

Regards

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