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Friday 30th August 2024

Dear Parents,

One of our pupils is receiving medical treatment for cancer, which puts their health at risk if exposed to measles, chickenpox or shingles. We ask for your co-operation in minimising the risk by doing the following:-

- 1. If your child does develop chickenpox, shingles or measles, we ask that you contact the school as soon as possible. We shall inform the parents of the child so that they can take the appropriate action.
- 2. We would recommend all children receive MMR vaccine and in this way minimise the risk of infection for all vulnerable children.

Your child is not at any risk whatsoever from this situation. We are asking for your cooperation for the health and well-being of the pupil who is at risk. If this child is exposed to measles or chickenpox, he can be protected from actually developing the infection if the exposure is detected promptly.

We are happy that the child can remain in school throughout treatment and thank you most sincerely for your help in this matter.

With kind regards,

Ben Travers Principal

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