



Principal: Mrs A R Mordey

8<sup>th</sup> December 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

### Sickness & Diarrhoea

We have a number of incidents of sickness and diarrhoea within the school at the moment. This is not unusual at this time of year but due to the numbers we have sought some advice from Public Health England.

Advice for all parents/carers is as follows:

- If your child is ill at home DO NOT send them into school to 'see how they are' but keep them at home and monitor their symptoms. If they come into school they can spread this horrible bug to their friends and staff.
- Your child should NOT return to school for 48 hours after their last bout of sickness or diarrhoea - if a pupil comes back in too early you will be contacted to come and collect them from school.
- Please ensure that you encourage your child to wash their hands regularly with soap and water.

In school we are taking similar precautions and the cleaning regime has been amended as well. I hope that with everyone following these guidelines we can reduce the spread for this virus so that everyone remains well ready for the holiday.

Many thanks for your support.

Yours sincerely

MRS A R MORDEY  
PRINCIPAL

Cc. Sharon Patterson, School Nurse

