

THE DIAMOND LEARNING PARTNERSHIP TRUST



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Dear Parents/Carers

Guidance on return to school following sickness and diarrhea

I am writing to let you know about a change in the advice that we are issuing to parents regarding children's return to school following a sickness and/or diarrhea bug.

Currently we advise parents/carers to keep children off for 48 hours after the last occurrence of vomiting/diarrhea; however we are aware that there are times when children are fit to return to school earlier. Therefore our new guidance is that children can return to school 24 hours after their last occurrence as long as they are well enough to do so. There may be times when we insist on the 48 hour rule being adhered to, for example if more than a third of the class are affected by the bug.

This will be effective immediately; any questions please contact your school office.

Yours faithfully

Mrs S Horn
Executive Attendance Lead
On behalf of Middlefield Primary Academy (part of TDLPT)