

NHS Test and Trace consent form for COVID-19 testing

This common consent form has been designed for use by parents and guardians of students.

• **For students** - this form must be completed by the parent or legal guardian. Please complete one consent form for each child you wish to enrol.

1. I have had the opportunity to consider the information provided by the school/college about the testing, ask questions and have had these answered satisfactorily, based on the information presented in the letter dated 21/12/2020.

2. In the case of parent/carers giving consent, I have discussed the testing with my child and my child is happy to participate. If on the day of testing they do not wish to take part, then they will not be made to do so and consent can be withdrawn at any time ahead of the test.

3. I consent to having / my child having a nose and throat swab for a lateral flow test.

4. I consent that my child's sample(s) will be tested for the presence of COVID-19.

5. I understand that if my child's result(s) are negative on the lateral flow test I will not be contacted by the school/college except where they are a close contact of a confirmed positive.

6. If the lateral flow test indicates the presence of COVID-19, I consent to my child having a nose and throat swab for confirmatory PCR testing, which shall be sent the same day to an NHS Test & Trace laboratory.

7. I consent that my child will need to self-isolate following a positive lateral flow test result, until the results of the confirmatory PCR have been received.

8. I agree that if my child's test results are confirmed to be positive from this PCR test, I will report this to the school and I understand that my child will be required to self-isolate following public health advice.

9. I consent that if a close contact of my child tests positive but my child has tested negative, They will continue to attend school but will be tested every day at school for 7 days.

Name of student to be tested	
Year group	
Name of parent or guardian	
Signature	
Date	
Relationship to child	