

20<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

**Measles, chicken pox and shingles**

Please may I ask for your co-operation with an important matter.

One of our children is receiving medical treatment for cancer which puts them at risk if they are exposed to measles, chicken pox or shingles.

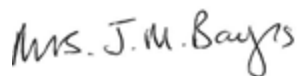
Please let us know **immediately** if your child is suspected of having measles.

This child is also at risk from chicken pox and would need to be given an injection within **three days** of contact. If your child is suspected of having chicken pox, you should let us know **immediately**.

It is also important that you let us know if there is shingles in your household.

Your child is not at any risk whatsoever from this situation. However, the health and well-being of our pupil who is at risk does depend on the co-operation of all other parents and we hope you will help us.

Thank you.



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