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Dear Parents/Carers,

Measles, chicken pox, mumps and shingles

One of our pupils in school is currently receiving medical treatment meaning that their immune system is low. Their health is at risk if they are exposed to measles, mumps, chicken pox or shingles.

We would appreciate if you could let us know **immediately** if your child is suspected of having measles, mumps, chicken pox or shingles. We will then be able to alert their family who can then arrange for the child to receive any medical treatment they may require.

As is the current procedure in school, please do not send your child to school if they have sickness or diarrhoea and **keep them at home for 48 hours after their last episode.**

There is no risk at all for your own child and we appreciate your support and cooperation in the above. As always, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me in school.

Kind regards,

Gail Canning
Headteacher