



# MILLOM SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carer(s)

Following the Prime Minister's briefing on 31 October, I am writing to update on additional measures we are taking at Millom School.

Given the short time between the announcement on Saturday, and measures being in place by Thursday, we are wanting to take prompt action to maintain the safe opening of the school.

**From the start of the school day on Thursday 05 November**, face coverings will be worn by staff and students in communal areas of the school. This is in line with expected measures schools should take under lockdown arrangements. Staff and students will wear suitable face coverings when inside school buildings, but remove them when inside classrooms. Face coverings will also be required when entering and being served in refectories, but can be removed to eat. When students exit buildings, they can safely remove and store face coverings once outside.

This information follows the letter written prior to the half-term break, so it is hoped that some thought has been given to this eventuality. It is the expectation that students will arrive to school appropriately equipped with face coverings, in line with many other situations where face coverings are already mandatory.

This is an additional responsibility for all members of the school community to keep the school open in a COVID secure manner. I am confident that the students will again step-up to the additional expectations at this time, in order to continue accessing education. For clarity, students do not need to arrive to school wearing face coverings, unless traveling by school bus or public transport.

Should you have any queries regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours faithfully

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