

Covid-19 Lateral Flow Testing Consent

Cannock Chase High School will be carrying out mass testing of our students prior to their return to school, as per the Government guidelines, subject to any changes they may make.

In order for your child to take part in this testing we require your consent. To give this consent we ask that you check your child's information very carefully, specifically the headings below, using the SIMS Parent App and amend if necessary.

Once this is done and you are happy to give your consent, please go to the Data Collection section on the App, Parental Consent and activate the Lateral Flow Testing Consent button. We ask that you do this by **4pm on Wednesday 17 February 2021**. We will send a text within 24 hours of this deadline to confirm we have received your consent.

Each Tutor Group will be given specific time slots for the testing to take place (there will be two tests at least three days apart). You will receive a text giving details of when these are. Students should arrive at the outside door of the Upper School Hall at their allotted time and we have a number of staff who will guide them through the process. If you are bringing your child to school in a vehicle, we ask that you remain in it on the car park. There will be no waiting room inside the building. Once the student has completed the test they are to return home and the result will be sent by text via the Government Test Result site.

If you do not wish to give your consent, we would ask that you still check the details and make any necessary amendments, **but do not** activate the Lateral Flow Consent button.

Information to Check

Student's First Name Student's Last Name Date of Birth Gender at Birth Ethnicity Home Address Home Postcode Mobile Number: This is where test results will be sent and it is critical that this is correct, as the text will contain sensitive information of your child's name, date of birth and test result.

If your child has any health or accessibility issues which might affect their safe participation in the testing exercise, please e-mail <u>info@cannockchase-high.staffs.sch.uk</u>, put your child's name in the subject line and give as much details as possible in the message itself.

Background Information and GDPR

For further information, frequently asked questions, Privacy Notice and how your data is used, please refer to the school website Coronavirus Advice and GDPR pages.