

# EYFS (Reception) - Year 6 Covid-19 testing



## School staff and parents/carers

No symptoms

Twice-weekly testing with Lateral Flow Device tests

If LFD positive

Isolate immediately (along with household). Book a PCR test at a testing site within 48h\*. Continue to isolate while you wait for your results.

Adults in a household or support bubble, where children regularly attend educational settings are advised to test twice-weekly.

To find out where to get a Lateral Flow Device test, visit:  
[www.somerset.gov.uk/coronavirus/covid-19-lateral-flow-test/](http://www.somerset.gov.uk/coronavirus/covid-19-lateral-flow-test/)

## Anyone with symptoms

Symptoms include a *new* continuous cough, loss or change of taste or smell and/or a high temperature.

Isolate immediately (along with household) and book a PCR test. Only the person with symptoms needs a test. Continue to isolate while you wait for the results.

PCR

Positive

Negative

If PCR positive, continue to isolate (with your household) for 10+ days.

Isolation should start from the date of the positive test or the onset of symptoms.

Back to school or work when better

PCR test: At a testing site or at home (select when booking).

Please book here: [www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test](http://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test) or dial 119

## Primary aged children (Reception to year 6)

No symptoms

No symptoms? No test!

There's no need to test children in this age group if they have no symptoms. This includes after isolation, when going back to school

\*If LFD positive, visit a testing site within 48h, to book visit:  
[www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test](http://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test)

Please do not forget to record positive and negative results on the government website as instructed, as well as informing your school

For guidance on self-isolation, please visit: [www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection](http://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection)