

THE SACRED HEART LANGUAGE COLLEGE

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Dear Parent,

Covid Vaccinations for 12-15 year olds

We have now been contacted about the arrangements for the covid vaccinations for pupils who are aged between 12-15. We are expecting this to take place in school in early October. We will notify you when the NHS have confirmed the date, however this may be at short notice if a cancellation arises.

To prepare for this we have been asked to send you the attached letter and covid vaccination consent form on behalf of the NHS. Please return these via your daughter to her form tutor by Monday, 4th October. If you have any concerns then please do follow the link that it contains to read more information about the process.

The school building will be used to set up a vaccination hub for our pupils aged 12-15 which will be run by NHS staff. I would ask that you have a conversation with your daughter to ensure that she is aware as to whether she should have the vaccination or not. The consent form also has a section to be filled in if you do not wish your daughter to be vaccinated so please make sure that you have filled in the correct section and returned it.

Our pupils who are 16 should already have received an invitation to a vaccination outside of school. They can also now book this on the NHS booking website at <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-vaccination/coronavirus-vaccine/>

However, if she has not received one and would like to there may be an opportunity to do so when the team are in school. Therefore, please fill in the consent form.

If your daughter is in Year 7 and may be turning 12 in the coming weeks then please fill in the form.

If you have any queries then a range of resources can be found at <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-vaccination-resources-for-children-and-young-people>

Yours sincerely

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