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Dear Parents

Please find below some information on common illnesses that affect children's attendance at school. If you are in any doubt about whether your child should attend school, please speak to me or another member of staff for guidance.

Illness or complaint	Recommended period to be off school
Chickenpox	Until all spots have crusted over
Measles/German Measles	Four days from onset of rash
Impetigo	Until lesions have crusted and healed or 48 hours after starting antibiotics
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after starting antibiotics
Slapped Cheek Disease	None (once rash has developed)
Warts and verrucae	None
Diarrhoea and/or vomiting	48 hours from last episode
Flu	Until recovered
Head Lice	None
Mumps	Five days after onset of swelling

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to ask.

Kind regards,

Mrs Jo Dobbs
Headteacher