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Dear Parent/Carer,

MMR Vaccination

As you are probably aware from the news, there has been an alarming rise in the number of cases of measles. Measles can be a very serious disease, but is completely preventable.

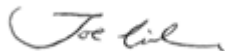
The current MMR uptake levels in London are the lowest in a decade, with a high risk of outbreaks in under-vaccinated communities.

The best protection is to ensure your children are vaccinated. It is never too late to catch up: you can get both doses of your MMR vaccine for free on the NHS whatever your age. Animal-product free and porcine-free vaccines are available on request.

The NHS is expanding their national invitation and reminder scheme in the next few weeks, by inviting those aged 6 to 11 years who are missing their first or second MMR vaccination. Over February and March, the NHS will be inviting around one million children via their parents and guardians.

You can also contact your GP surgery to book an appointment for a vaccine.

Kind regards,



Joe Wilson
Headteacher