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Dear Parent / Carer

We have been contacted by the NHS to advise that they will be offering a first or second dose of the COVID-19 vaccine to our students aged 12-15 years old in school on **Friday 28**th **January 2022**. In order to receive the vaccine, your daughter must not have tested positive for COVID since 04/11/21 (i.e. in the previous 12 weeks) and it must be at least 12 weeks since their first dose if they are having their second vaccination.

The NHS Immunisation Team have sent the enclosed consent form and checklist for your daughter. Please return **both** of these consent forms to school indicating whether you want your daughter to receive the vaccine or not as soon as possible and by **no later than Wednesday 19th January**. Please complete and return even if you DO NOT wish your daughter to receive the vaccine. This will enable the NHS team to plan for the number of vaccines required and the logistics of the day.

Please note, vaccines can also be booked online at a pharmacy or a vaccination centre if you prefer, by using the following link (this link also provides further information about the vaccine:

https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-vaccination/coronavirus-vaccine-for-children-aged-12-to-15/

Yours faithfully

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