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Dear Parents/Guardians,

To keep you informed, we have one confirmed case of Chicken Pox. Should you suspect that your child may have Chicken Pox, please get this confirmed by your G.P. Under the guidance of the Health Protection Agency, your child should be kept off school for at least 5 days from the onset of the rash or until all spots have dried and scabbed over.

Some symptoms to look out for before or after the spots may include:

- A high temperature above 38c
- Aches and pains and generally feeling unwell
- Loss of appetite

Pregnant women, new-born babies and people with a weakened immune system are particularly vulnerable and their G.P should be contacted immediately if they have any concerns.

Yours sincerely,
*C Cartwright*

Carla Cartwright
Head Teacher