## The Coppice Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers.

I just wanted to further clarify our request re the compulsory wearing of face masks and to reassure you all that we will not be asking anyone to inform us of the exact nature of any disability, hidden or otherwise.

What I meant by providing proof of exemption was:

• a parent or carer providing us with proof voluntarily, which a number of parents/caters did during the last time we asked for masks to be worn.

Or

• Parents/carers wearing one of the exemption lanyards when entering the school site. This would avoid the need to provide any personal information if they did not want to.

Obviously, linked to the above, I am fully aware that some parents/carers do not have to wear a lanyard or provide any proof at all if they do not wish to. However, I would like to think that, at the very least, anyone who cannot wear a mask for whatever reason, will wear the lanyard in order to show their support for what the school is trying to achieve with this measure.

I hope that my email reassures you all and again clarifies that all I want to do is to keep our school community safe, protect the vulnerable and keep the children in school learning.

Thank you all in anticipation for your cooperation.

Kind regards,

Mr. Hutt

(Headteacher – The Coppice Primary School)







