Education guidance

The most important symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19)



new and continuous cough



high temperature



loss of, or change in, your normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

If **you have symptoms** of coronavirus, you need to **self-isolate for 7 days**

If you live with someone who has symptoms, you need to self-isolate for 14 days from the day their symptoms started

For most people coronavirus will be a mild illness. However if you have any of the symptoms you should self-isolate at home

Stop the spread of coronavirus



Wash your hands more often and for 20 seconds

or

Use soap and water or a hand sanitiser when you:

- Get home or into work
- Blow your nose, sneeze or cough
- Eat or handle food



Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze and throw the tissue away straight away



Supervise young children to ensure they wash their hands more often than usual



Posters and lesson plans on general hand hygiene can be found on the eBug website



Clean and disinfect regularly touched objects and surfaces more often than usual using your **standard cleaning products**



Staff, young people and children should stay at home if they are unwell with a new, continuous cough or a high temperature or loss of, or change in, normal sense of taste or smell to avoid spreading infection to others

If staff, young people or children become unwell with any of the coronavirus symptoms on site, **they should be sent home** We are asking schools, colleges, nurseries, childminders and other registered childcare settings to remain open for children of critical workers and vulnerable children where they can