


Returning to School in the Autumn Term (September 2020)

Key information and what you can do to support School

If possible take your child's temperature daily at home and **wash hands as you leave the house.** 

There will be 4 Bubble areas

1. EYFS (Nursery & Reception)
2. KS1 (year 1 & 2)
3. Lower KS2 (year 3 & 4)
4. Upper KS2 (year 5 & 6)

There will also be 4 bubble areas for Wraparound Care Provision (Breakfast and After School) Larger bubbles have been formed but only ever within a key stage bubble.

All children to come in school uniform and please bring a coat Bags can be brought between school & home but **only** if they are really needed.

School will provide all Equipment needed.
No pencil cases please.

Children within the same bubble will be in their class groups. Current guidance states that children within their bubble **may not** be able to distance socially. Adults will distance from children as much as possible.

All children will need a water bottle clearly labelled with their name.
Water fountains will not be in use. Please ensure **ALL** children have a healthy snack for breaktime as the "School Fruit & Vegetable Government Scheme" cannot guarantee a service in Sept for those children in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 & 2

Children will be offered a choice of a hot meal, a sandwich option or they can bring in their own packed lunch. Children will only mix with their year group.

Children in Year 5/6 will be able to cycle or scooter to school. This will be reviewed during the Autumn term to allow other years groups to follow.

Start and end of the day times will be staggered.
Please be prompt
(but do not come early!)

Daily cleaning throughout the day remains.
Please help by changing school uniform regularly.

Be extremely VIGILANT and any signs of illness your child will need to stay at home and everyone in your household will need to get a test.

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- **Does my child have to attend school in September?**

Yes, in September all children must return to school.

- **Can I come into school to take my child to class, to drop something off or to meet my child's teacher?**

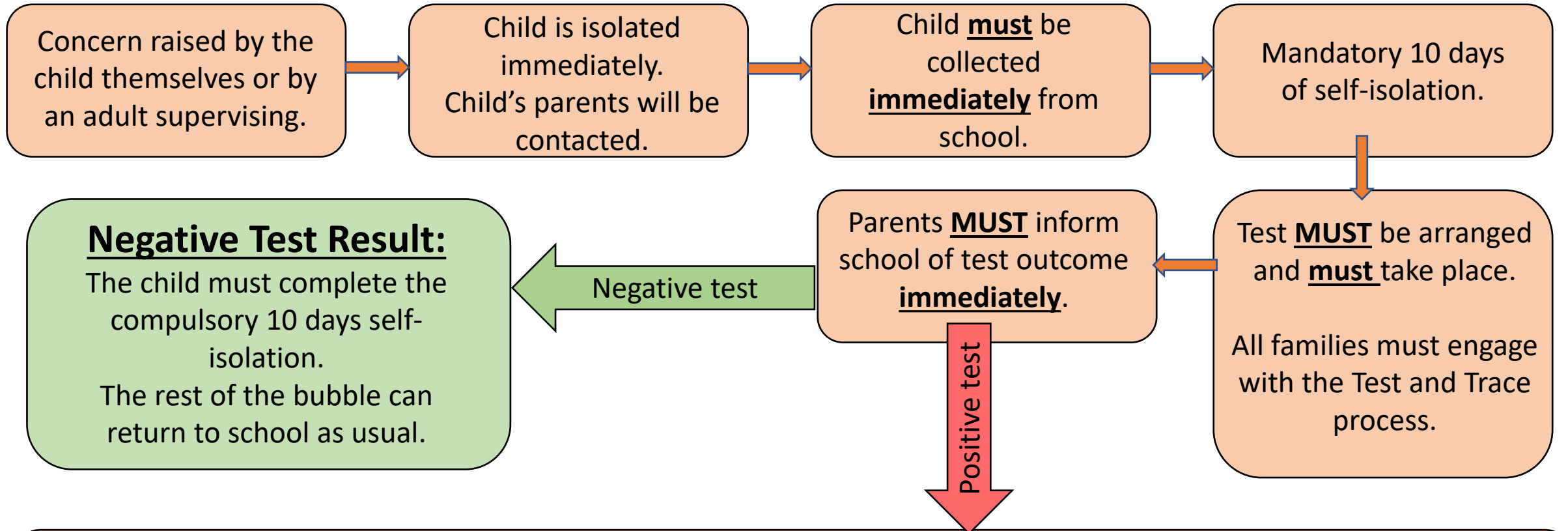
No. Please drop your child off in the clearly marked channels where they will be greeted by the teaching staff from their class. Please call or email if you need to contact us. The school site is closed except for essential contractors and maintenance (which are prearranged).

- **My child has medication, how do I arrange for this to be taken into school?**

If medication is required, please download and complete the medical form which can be found on our website under parents/forms - <http://www.oakmeadowprimary.co.uk/website/forms>

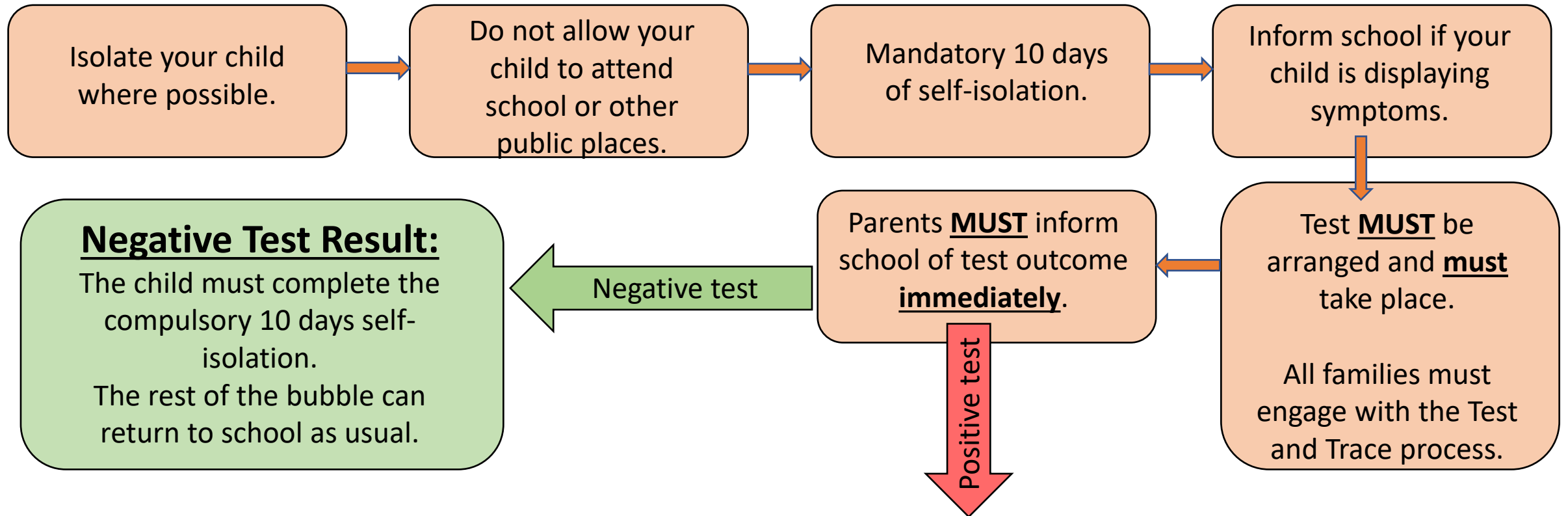
Please call ahead to the office on 01743 875020 to arrange this (as per our normal procedures)

School response if a child displays symptoms during school time.



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What if I am contacted by NHS Test and Trace?

Follow all
instructions from
the NHS Test and
Trace advisor

Inform school
immediately

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