

16<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

**RE: Important information: Outstanding HPV vaccination**

The Immunisation Service are coming into school for **HPV** (Human Papillomavirus) vaccination catch up session on **Tuesday 30/01/2024** to offer this vaccine to students in years **9, 10** and **11** who have not already had one dose since year 8.

If this applies to your child and:

- You have already completed and returned a consent form; the Immunisation Team will contact you prior to offering this vaccination.

OR

- You previously provided consent for your child to receive this vaccination at a different school, and it is still outstanding, please contact your local Immunisation team so that they can update your child's consent form.

OR

- You have not yet provided consent and would like to do so please request the consent information from your child's school.

If your child presents themselves to the Immunisation Team during the catch-up session, and records indicate that they are outstanding this vaccination, the Immunisation Team may offer them the opportunity to consent to this themselves. This would be following an assessment of their competence and understanding of what's involved with the vaccination, and an attempt to contact their parents in the first instance.

**Speak to a member of the Immunisation Service by calling your local team on 01273 696011**

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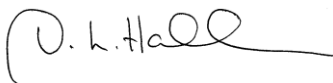
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Kind regards,



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