



## St Joseph's School and Nursery Childhood Illness Guidelines

**Notify Nursery:**

**Keep at home:**

**Yes**

**Until**

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Chickenpox                      at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over

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Diarrhoea and Vomiting      48 hours after their last episode

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Cold and flu-like illness (including COVID-19)      they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19

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Impetigo                      their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics

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Measles                      4 days after the rash first appeared

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Mumps 5 days after the swelling started

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Scabies they've had their first treatment

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Scarlet fever 24 hours after they started taking antibiotics

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Whooping cough 48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

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**Hand foot and mouth = inform the nursery**  
**Slapped cheek = inform the nursery**

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