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Mission Statement: 'With Jesus as our guide, we learn, pray and live together in a safe and happy way.'

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Annual Flu Vaccination

Your child's is now due, this will be done in school on Friday 11th December 2020.

This vaccination is recommended to help protect your child against flu. Flu can be an unpleasant illness and can cause serious complications. Vaccinating your child will also help protect more vulnerable family and friends by preventing the spread of flu. With COVID-19 in circulation it is more important than ever to reduce the number of those becoming ill with flu this winter to help protect them and the NHS.

Please download, complete and return consent form (one for each child) and return to the school by **MONDAY 30th NOVEMBER 2020** to ensure your child receives their vaccination. You can download the form and edit, save and either print and return or email to admin@st-peter-st-paul.staffs.sch.uk

The vaccination is free and is a quick and simple spray up the nose. Even if your child had it last year, the type of flu can vary each winter so it is recommended to have the flu vaccine again this year or they won't be protected.

A leaflet explaining the vaccination programme is enclosed and includes details about the small number of children for whom the nasal vaccine is not appropriate.

While COVID-19 is in circulation, the healthcare team and school will follow guidelines to ensure children are safe when being offered the vaccine.

Since the programme was introduced, most children offered the vaccine in schools have had the immunisation.

If you have any queries, please contact the healthcare team on 0300 124 0366.

Yours sincerely,

[Signed by provider]

If your child becomes wheezy, has a bad attack of asthma, or has started oral steroids for their asthma after you return this form, please contact the healthcare team on [phone number].

If you decide you do not want to vaccinate your child against flu, please return the consent form giving the reason. This will help us plan and improve the service.

For further information see: www.nhs.uk/child-flu