

Dear Parents,

Measles, Chicken Pox and Shingles

Please may we ask for your co-operation in an important matter.

One of our pupils is receiving medical treatment for cancer which puts them at risk if they are exposed to measles, chicken pox or shingles.

The **best** way to protect our pupil from measles would be for all children at school to be immunised against measles. If your child is suspected of having measles, you should let us know immediately.

Our pupil would need to be given an injection within three days of contact.

It is also important that you let us know if there is shingles in your household.

Your child is not at any risk whatsoever from this situation. However, the health and well-being of our pupil who is at risk, does depend on the co-operation of all other parents and we hope you can help us.

With many thanks.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Wendy Harkness
Headteacher