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Dear Parent/Carer

Measles, Chicken pox and Shingles on behalf of Leeds Children's Hospital.

Please may we ask for your cooperation in a vitally important matter? One of our pupils has recently completed chemotherapy treatment for a tumour. This puts the pupil at risk if exposed to measles, chicken pox or shingles.

The best way to protect a pupil from measles is for all pupils to be immunised against measles. If you suspect your child has measles you should let the school know immediately.

Our pupil is also at risk from chicken pox and shingles and would need to be given an injection within three days of contact. Please let us know immediately if you suspect your child has chicken pox. It is also very important that you let us know if anyone in your household has shingles.

Your own child is not at any risk whatsoever from this situation.

We depend on cooperation of all parents and know we can rely on your help.

Many thanks.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Brooks
Inclusion manager

