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Berkshire School Aged Immunisation Team

8th October 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Invite for COVID-19 vaccination clinic for Year 7 Students who are aged 12
(DOB between the 1st September and the 31st October ONLY)**

We are writing to inform you that we are now able to offer your child a single dose of a COVID-19 vaccination within our Wokingham Covid Vaccination Clinic. This offer is for children in year 7 who will be aged 12 on or before the 31st October 2021. If your child is not in the above DOB range, please note they will be offered vaccination later in the term. This is to ensure that only children aged 12 and above are vaccinated as below this aged the COVID-19 vaccine is unlicensed.

This vaccination will be free of charge and our highest priority is making it easy for children to access one dose of the vaccine before the winter. The main purpose of the COVID-19 school age vaccination programme is to provide protection to the children who receive the vaccine and may help to reduce transmission of COVID-19 in the wider population.

During the vaccination delivery we will maintain the range of measures we have in place to keep you safe from COVID-19. Our Wokingham Vaccination hub is set up to receive, prepare and administer COVID-19 safely and is currently our only clinic location available for this cohort.

The clinics are being held at Wokingham Hospital. Please click on the following link [Vaccination Consent \(berkshireimmunisations.co.uk\)](https://berkshireimmunisations.co.uk) to select an available **Covid** clinic. You will need to enter the unique code for the clinic. The code is **BK999996**. Please ensure you **only** use this code regardless of the school that your child attends as we will amend the school code to the correct one on the day of the clinic. Once you have completed a consent form you will receive a generated email with a link asking you to book into clinic. This is usually sent approximately 24 hours after completion of the form. Please ignore the message in the email informing you that your child missed their vaccination at school, as this is just an automatic message. When using the link to book a clinic it will bring up all Covid clinics available to you.

If you experience any problems accessing the form, please email us at Consentschoolimms@berkshire.nhs.uk and the team will be happy to help.

Best wishes,

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