

6<sup>th</sup> December 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

For the school year starting September 2021 we will be continuing with the e-consent for the Flu Programme. This year we will be offering the Nasal Flu vaccination to children in Years; 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. When completing the e-consent please state the year group your child will be in at the beginning of the school year September 2021.

Please visit <a href="https://www.derbyshireandcityimms.co.uk/Forms/Flu">https://www.derbyshireandcityimms.co.uk/Forms/Flu</a> to complete the consent form. The option to consent or decline the vaccination is at the end of the questionnaire so please complete even if you do not want your child to have the vaccination.

If you wish to decline the Flu spray due to the porcine element, we are now able to offer an alternative injectable Flu vaccine that does not contain porcine. Please complete the consent form detailing your preference on the medical questions and we will then contact you to arrange vaccination. For more information please contact the team as below.

Your unique school code for St Thomas More Catholic Voluntary Academy is DD146128

The date for the immunisation session is:

DATE: 20 January 2022

For more information about the vaccination please visit our website: <a href="https://www.derbyshirefamilyhealthservice.nhs.uk/our-services/5-19-years/school-age-immunisations">https://www.derbyshirefamilyhealthservice.nhs.uk/our-services/5-19-years/school-age-immunisations</a>

If you experience any problems, please call the School Age Immunisation Team:

Repton Health Centre: 01283 707178 Clay Cross Hospital: 01246 252953

Or email us DCHST.immunisationteam@nhs.net