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Dear Parents and Carers,

We wanted to make you aware that we have recently had a case of Slapped Cheek reported to school.

Please be aware and watch out for any symptoms (very red cheeks). This is particularly important if you are in the early stages of pregnancy (up to 20 weeks) if you are concerned at all please contact your mid wife for further advice.

Please find a link below with NHS guidance regarding diagnosis, treatment and reporting of this condition, as well as advice for pregnant women, or those with a weakened immune system.

There is no recommendation for a child to stay away from school.

[Slapped cheek syndrome - NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](http://www.nhs.uk)

Kind regards,

Katie Thornton
Head of School