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Dear Parent/Carer 15<sup>th</sup> December 2021

## Re: Colour Blindness Screening

If you gave consent for your child to be screened for colour blindness and DO NOT receive an individual letter then please assume that their screening was negative.

If your child has been identified as having colour blindness you will receive an individualised letter detailing the type of colour blindness and contact details for more advice and support.

We had 12 boys identified with colour blindness which equates to 7% of our children. This is just below the national average of 8%. Reassuringly, we were aware of the severe cases but there have been some moderate and very mild cases identified which we were not aware of.

There were no girls identified with colour blindness.

Dr. Gabriele Jordan from Newcastle University is very happy for parents to contact her directly if they require further information. Alternatively, she is happy to set up individual zoom meetings with parents so if you would like an individual discussion with Gabriele please let me know and I can arrange that for you.

Yours sincerely

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