



15 September 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

You will probably be aware that the government recently announced the further roll out of the COVID vaccination programme to include younger children attending secondary schools.

Please read the [attached letter about COVID vaccinations](#), which the School-Aged Immunisation Team (SAIS) has been commissioned to deliver via all secondary schools in Hertfordshire. The vaccinations are being offered to Ashlyns students aged between 12 and 15 on Wednesday 22 September. You must respond on the link provided in the letter, whether or not you wish your child to be vaccinated.

If you have any questions please contact the Immunisations Team on 01727 732062. The school does not have access to the completed consent forms and we cannot answer any queries about the process, which is managed by SAIS. (The nursing team has asked for students to wear a mask for their appointment.)

If your child is in Year 8, please ensure you read the note in the letter about HPV vaccinations.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher