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PM -

primary - test by 11 Jan. each wk schools get tests.

parents do tests.

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Extreme cases - respond - close S.

→ not major policy change.

- cases 1/8 to 2 weekly testing.

- welcome for parents.

secondary - stagger 11-18. really start 18th.

primary 11/13,

→ no exam cohorts held @ home if
out of control area.

→ Kent / Essex / London

Green + white

→ Brief out

→ meeting 18 now another week

COVID-0. 29/12

- sketchy data - London 1/30 ppl @ VR.

primary north west 2-3%.

- also - first indicators stabilised north of Kent.

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✱: matt - cones significantly more late cut off.

Phil - Esker called critical incident

→ are we looking @ behavioural insights?

→ supermarkets → do much more to prepare visitors.

Chief whip → don't support 14. 14 → diff to agree not
natural change. Party would expect vote to be
imposed. will get pushback

- CDL - agree w/ all recommendations. 13 + 14.

- guesstimate: why don't simply just whole expand w/ 14.

- I about what measures might be // Get ahead of this.

Alsh - right to take precautionary approach. 74% 14.

when is next review - 1 or 2 weeks? // 2nd Jan - why wait?

not tomorrow?

RS: keep ties - useful for when we need deescalation. ^{support paper} - good 16 caution

Leah: agree w/ paper. How do we get out of it?

- incremental vaccination? hope.

CMO - too early to tell if $R < 1$. Better → data - caution.

most is reversible.

Steve P: ~~guy~~ trying to stand up behind niggly. stuffy one.
potential for harm increased when stuff stretched.

- Leah: so are here

- Matt - 2nd Jan. Better - NRE. stay @ home there.

GW, SAH, MG, CSA, CND, CX, KTH, HC, DR,
AB, JS, RBW, SR, SB, SG, me.

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~~TEB~~ schools

- "exceptionally high level of confidence".
- exam w/c 11th - others 18th. All students 2 tests
- more testing; all equipment delivered to Sch. By 10am
- in' major ~~schools~~ additional testing supplies organised
- all other settings: 5th/6th
- primary schools: new challenge. w/c 18th all primary schools
- pupils - child gets news drop.
- no non exam groups until 18 Jan. will get results from 11th.

Wds - secondary schools - confident with work. Primary = nervous.

60m LFT in' stock /// production line end of Feb.

MG: BTEch: do we have answer has catered for?

- what are consequences in school // what is impact on R?
- what if wait until end Jan?

Matt: doesn't include primary schools. Not flying very. current
core rates 1500 some parts country. schools look muddy -
not credible.

- is this compulsory or not? who - all effects, 20% task just.

aw: things say better mid feb. there are greatest with voice.
some parts country - extraordinary rate. others - generic.

MH: Big risk is here and in' bits of country serious.

PM: → where rubber hits road.

- week delay testing. 7 make case to delay
- stuff for monday. } policy schools.

CSA: all modelling ↑ transmissibility: extremely unlikely without school closures. $R < 25\%$ on top of there

^ stay scientific view with schools open this
wait on away and wait to get on top of it.

- so schools fully open.

Matt: Don't assume policy advisers say what work.

ex: look @ crisis; right outcome.

- ~~sceptical~~ sceptical of control w/ testing programmes. Don't assume it contains worth heavy in mind. will ~~not~~ make difference.

GW: restrict which practical students: 40% → 20%.

8 weeks, quarter of year - likely time out of schools.

"doing schools to the end of Easter".

CDL: Y11/13 - prepare exams. not care for other secondary students new variant + one day vaccine good.

LFT not perfect; testing hasn't stopped infection even in Slovakia
CNS/CSA manually balanced. ✓ clear - if go ahead on
stand, would see increase in R. End of Easter / summer hols

PM: has to be system deciding if area so out of control
needs carrying measure. overwhelmingly policy back

4th.

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secondary: plan set out sensible. exam cohorts 11th.
serial lab flow. most back 18th. waiting for
non exam: where where out of control.

PMH: need to look again @ geographies.

- PM
- accept some parts of county part of package
shorts died leaving of Jan.
 - not clear what ideal time for return would be.

Dashwood 4/12

55000 reported today. 29 Dec 80000 positive?
60000 next day.

- continued v significant increases.
- 28% positivity cases in London.

rising large # cases.

- by mid across rest of country too -
suggests new variant doing high levels growth.
eg Liverpool close to autumn peak.
- But more mixed. stabilised(?), now
rising again. v different interpret data -
v high daily rates.

15/1 Dashboard

4,134 admissions Tues - new high. Softened
projections diff parts of country - harder flattening.
north west etc rising.

→ all odds up more patients in hospital
32k in effect.

- 40% beds in London occupied by COVID patients.

- east of England 36% beds occupied.

- south west - lower levels but rapid growth
for admissions.

emo - projections if haven't done anything. May
view will flatten not reach same heights.
next week the worst of it, the curve
start to come down again.

emo - vaccines will start to affect mortality

next few weeks. NHS - a bit higher.

At end of day, # dec' dem pretty sure.

CST: not will be younger people going to
hospital if we increase too fast.

- 3 ways to transmit virus: droplets, touch,
aerosols (verbs). of the 3, aerosol best

important. Drifts / back more important.
 cons: back to face is the risk.

staff: can take hit of a fall; esp harder
 material fall.

Eds - starting daily contact today w/ staff today. Challenging cons MURK.

Groundwork is going, making progress
 w/ them. schools are really well.

292k lab plus tests in schools last
 week.

- nervous about daily testing not 10 days but
 waiting w/ them clinical decision.

and then policy choice if you isolating

MR: regulators should do clinical; but, policy
 is for ministers

AM - keep him informed.

AM: think about policy response today @ home.

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- community testing

- workplace - employees a lot more
 enthusiastic.

- Get the script on testing today.

Repr: - all sh of stuff. Royal mail
 robust.