

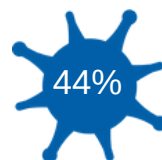
# HAMPSHIRE AND ISLE OF WIGHT SALIVA TESTING PROGRAMME

Latest news from across the programme



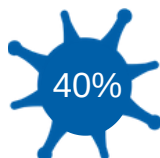
## THE PROGRAMME IN NUMBERS

Number of education settings involved



Staff participation

Student participation



Volume of saliva (2mls) from staff and students tested in the past week

## WE NEED YOUR FEEDBACK!

Please complete our user survey to tell us what you think about the programme



- Findings will help improve the service and inform government policy
- Only takes **5-10 minutes** to complete
- Complete the survey by **12 July 2021**
- If you are a parent, guardian or carer, please support your child to complete the survey from their perspective (we'd like to hear what the experience has been like for them)
- All responses are anonymous, confidential and securely stored
- Some questions are focused on special educational needs. Please select the 'not applicable' option if appropriate

TO COMPLETE THE SURVEY, [CLICK HERE](#)



Thank you!

## Educational resources

Our Engagement team have done a fantastic job creating resources to support schools and colleges in engaging students with the science behind the COVID-19 pandemic, encouraging participation in testing. Resources include videos, lessons, debate topics, worksheets, symbol-assisted stories and social stories. Our educational resources are updated regularly and extra resources added as needed. For example, we have recently added new resources to consider how new variants appear and why they can lead to rising numbers of infections



## POSTER COMPETITION!

We are inviting school students to design posters to help our communities remember the COVID-19 guidelines. Choose one guideline (e.g. face masks, vaccines, social distancing) and make a clear and colourful design. Prizes are available and all entries will enter a raffle. Winning posters will feature in a LifeLab video and will be sent to schools. See the entry instructions below:

### PRIMARY COMPETITION

- Fun prize for the top 3 winners
- Winners and runners-up might spot their poster in the new COVID-19 Warriors episodes!
- To enter, speak to your teacher, or email [lifelab@soton.ac.uk](mailto:lifelab@soton.ac.uk) for an entry sheet

### SECONDARY COMPETITION

- £20 Amazon voucher for the winner from Y7, 8, 9 and 10
- Design the poster on one sheet of A4 and add name, school and year group on the back
- Hand completed posters to your tutor or teacher to send in
- Deadline: Monday 12th July

TO ACCESS THE MAIN LIFELAB ONLINE WEBSITE, [CLICK HERE](#)



## MEET THE TEAM

There is a large team of people, all working to deliver the Saliva Testing Programme in your schools and colleges. Each week, we will introduce you to a different member of the team who works behind the scenes. This week we would like you to meet Beth Davies, who is our Media & Communications Manager.

Watch Beth's video here



## VIEW FROM THE REGION

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Data is from the national government [website](#), as at 25 June 2021

Hampshire:



66,177 total cases

619 new cases in last 7 days

Trend: **Upwards**

Southampton:



15,679 total cases

297 new cases in last 7 days

Trend: **Upwards**

Portsmouth:



14,953 total cases

220 new cases in last 7 days

Trend: **Upwards**

Isle of Wight:



6,921 total cases

20 new cases in last 7 days

Trend: **Upwards**

Go to our [website](#) to contact the support team via webchat or you can use the freephone number: 0800 1962282. Hours this week are 8.30am to 5.00pm, Monday to Friday.

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