

IMPORTANT HEALTH UPDATE: MEASLES & VACCINATION

- **Measles** has been in the news again with **outbreaks** in parts of the country
- **Measles** is one of the most highly **infectious** diseases & spreads rapidly
- Parents & Carers are urged to check their child's vaccination status
- Please ensure they are fully protected against measles by having the MMR or MMRV vaccine.
- **Nine out of ten** unvaccinated children can catch measles from an infected classmate
- **One in five** children who catch measles will require a **hospital** visit
- **One in fifteen** will experience serious complications, such as **meningitis** or **sepsis**