



Dear Parent,

Researchers at the University of Birmingham are conducting the ELSA study. We are writing to you because as a parent/carer of a child aged 3-13 years, your child is invited to take part.

The ELSA study is screening children, aged 3-13 years to find out their risk of getting type 1 diabetes. This is a simple finger stick blood test, that will be performed at your child's school. We are offering the screening at **Cheswardine Primary School & Nursery on Friday 22nd November 2024** You must sign up if you wish your child to be seen.

Children at high risk can be monitored and could enter research studies aiming to delay the start of type 1 diabetes. Every family who takes part in the ELSA study is helping us to understand more about type 1 diabetes.

If you would like to take part or to find our more information, please visit our website www.elsadiabetes.nhs.uk or scan the QR code over page.

If you have any questions, **Sharen Painter and Johanne Tomlinson** and Tina Lewis, will be attending the school at collection time, a couple of weeks before the clinic date, this will be dependent upon the weather conditions. **Please come and have a chat.**

Alternatively, please contact;
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