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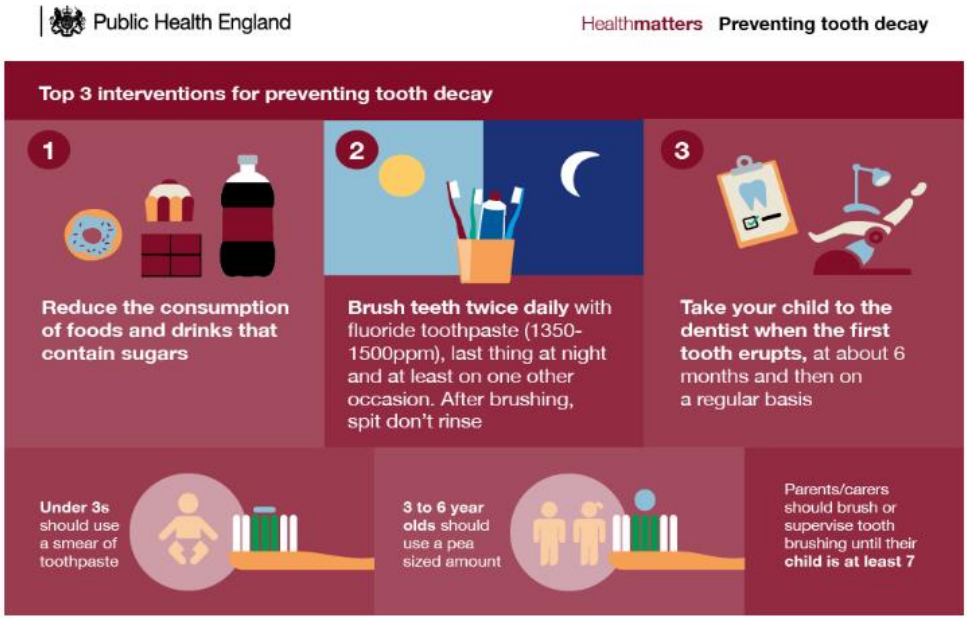
To Parents and Carers 21 October 2020

Toothbrushing

Following Public Health Englands advice, there hasn't been any brushing in school since March of this year.

From a health perspective is that just before lockdown our latest oral health figures were released for Doncaster. It was a survey of a sample of 5 year old Doncaster children's teeth. It showed that almost 40% of all children sampled already had signs of tooth decay. This was an increase for us by 6%.



I would like you to discuss with your child why they need to brush their teeth twice a day. It would be great to see a picture of your child brushing their teeth on Tapestry. If you have any problems getting onto Tapestry please speak to a member of the Foundation Team. Here is a link to a free, award- winning Brush DJ app that makes brushing teeth fun https://www.brushdj.com/.

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