

Can my child go to school today?

(Answer the 3 questions in the blue boxes)

Has your child been in contact with an individual who tested positive for COVID-19?

YES

- Keep your child home for 10 days after exposure if your child has been in close contact with a positive individual and your child has not had COVID-19 illness in the last 90 days **OR** your child has not been fully vaccinated for COVID-19.

- After the 5 days from exposure, consider testing.

All close contacts should:

- Watch for fever (100.0°F or above), cough, shortness of breath, or other symptoms of COVID-19.
- If symptoms develop, immediately self-isolate and contact your healthcare provider for guidance and testing.

NO

- Come to school.
- If your child has not been absent for illness, they may go directly to class.

Is your child ill with cold/Flu-like symptoms? (*runny nose, congestion, sore throat, persistent cough, difficulty breathing, headache, chills, loss of taste/smell, significant muscle pain/aches, diarrhea, or vomiting*)

YES

- Stay at home.
- Inform the school.
- Rest and recover.
- Call your healthcare provider if symptoms worsen.

NO

- Come to school.
- If your child has not been absent for illness, they may go directly to class.

Does your child have a fever of 100.0° F or higher?

YES

- Stay at home.
- Inform the school.
- Rest and recover.
- Call your healthcare provider if symptoms worsen.

NO

- Come to school.
- If your child has not been absent for illness, they may go directly to class.

Return-to-School Criteria

If your child has a fever or other symptoms that could be from COVID-19 and does not get tested **OR** is not cleared by their healthcare provider, it is assumed the child has COVID-19 and may not return to school until they meet re-entry criteria below:

- **Standard Return (Without a mask)**

You may return to school/work after at least 10 days have passed since the onset of symptoms, at least 24 hours fever free has passed without the use of fever-reducing medications, and your symptoms are improving.

Has your child been fever free without medication for 24 hours **AND** were seen by their healthcare provider and diagnosed with something other than COVID-19?

YES

- Come to school.
- If your child has not been absent for illness, they may go directly to class.

NO

Follow **Return-to-School Criteria**.

***Notify the school if your child tests positive and follow the Return-to-School criteria before returning to school.**

