

Isolation/Quarantine Guidelines

- If a staff member or student has **one** of the following symptoms, they will be sent home immediately:
 - fever,
 - cough,
 - loss of sense of smell or taste,
 - shortness of breath
- If a staff member or student has **two or more** of the following symptoms they will be sent home immediately:
 - fatigue,
 - headache,
 - body aches,
 - diarrhea,
 - nausea,
 - vomiting,
 - sore throat,
 - congestion
- Once sent home, students and staff will be required to monitor their symptoms and notify their health care provider for guidance related to the need for a COVID test. If symptoms do not improve, students/staff should isolate for 10 days, and until fever free or symptoms are decreasing for 24 hours without the use of medications
- Any person who was in close contact (a close contact is anyone unmasked within 6 feet for longer than 10 minutes) with a person exhibiting COVID symptoms, or a person who tests positive from 48 hours before symptoms started until the last day of contact, will need to be in quarantine for 14 days.
- A student or staff member's primary healthcare provider or the school nurse will advise whether quarantine or isolation is necessary.
- Following a positive test for COVID or presence of the symptoms listed above, students and staff are required to stay home for 10 days and/or 24 hours fever free whichever is longer.
- Notification should be provided to the school nurse of all positive COVID test results and/or signs and symptoms of COVID.

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