What do I do if my child has a positive COVID-19 test?

Step 1

Step 2

Step 3

Step 4

Immediately notify the school about your child's positive test result.

Keep your child home.

If your child has COVID-19 symptoms: Isolate for 10 days since symptoms began AND 24 hours with no fever AND symptoms are better.

If no symptoms: Isolate for 10 days since their positive test was collected.

Monitor your child for new or worsening COVID-19 symptoms, such as:

- Fever or chills
- Cough
- Loss of taste or smell
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing

Find a full symptom list at sccstayhome.org.

If you follow these steps, there is no need to get a "negative test" or a doctor's note to clear your child to return to school.