

## When Can I Return to School?

The purpose of this fact sheet is to outline when your student can return to school after having COVID-like symptoms.

### When can someone with SUSPECTED COVID-19 return to school?

**Suspected COVID-19:** a person who shows symptoms of COVID-19 and has not been tested or is waiting for test results.

Anyone who has symptoms and has not been tested should remain at home and can return after:

- At least 10 days from when symptoms began
- **AND** 24 hours after fever has resolved (without fever-reducing medication)
- **AND** symptoms have improved.
- **AND** after your son/daughter has been cleared by the Rose Hill Elementary contract tracer.

Anyone who has symptoms and has been tested for COVID-19 and **received a negative result\*** can return after:

- 24 hours after fever has resolved (without fever-reducing medication)
- **AND** other symptoms have improved.
- **AND** after your son/daughter has been cleared by the Rose Hill Elementary contract tracer **OR** you have presented your negative covid test results\* to the Rose Hill Office Staff

This guidance applies to all individuals who have symptoms of COVID-19, even those who have been fully vaccinated.

\*Only molecular (PCR/NAAT) COVID-19 test results will be accepted.

For a list of locations that provide free COVID-19 testing, regardless of immigration or insurance status, visit:

[www.kingcounty.gov/covid/testing](http://www.kingcounty.gov/covid/testing). Call the King County COVID-19 Call Center for help finding testing sites between 8AM – 7PM at 206-477-3977. Interpreters are available.

For more information about what to do if you have symptoms of COVID-19 visit: [www.kingcounty.gov/covid](http://www.kingcounty.gov/covid).

If you choose to have your student tested, please send the negative test results to [COVIDContactTracing@lwsd.org](mailto:COVIDContactTracing@lwsd.org). Subject line: Rose Hill Elementary – Student Initials OR you can present your negative covid test results to the Rose Hill Office Staff.

If your student tests positive for COVID-19 please notify the Rose Hill Elementary Principal, Jennifer Hodges: [jhodges@lwsd.org](mailto:jhodges@lwsd.org) and our contact tracer, Caerissa Fawkes: [cfawkes@lwsd.org](mailto:cfawkes@lwsd.org)

Thank you for your patience with this process. Bringing in a negative covid test and presenting it to Rose Hill Office Staff will most likely be the fastest way to be cleared to come back to school. Our contact tracer may be reaching out to you to get more information. If you have questions about this process, please contact Caerissa Fawkes: [cfawkes@lwsd.org](mailto:cfawkes@lwsd.org)