



# Southern Local Schools

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## Letter to Isolate due to Positive Covid Test

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

We have been notified that you tested positive for COVID19 on \_\_\_\_\_. According to current CDC Guidelines, you are to isolate at home for 5 days **Counting 0 as positive test date. Day 1 will be the first day after testing positive.**

**You may return to school/normal activity on day 6 \_\_\_\_\_, (only if symptoms are resolved) and a mask is worn day 6 through 10.**

**Please report positive home test to the Meigs County Health Department website at <https://meigs-health.com/covid-19/>**

**Household members may return to normal activity; however, they need to wear a mask for 10 days and recommend testing on day 5 and day 10 even if they have no symptoms or test if any symptoms.**

**Note:** Refusal to wear mask unless a documented medical excuse stating you are not to wear a mask, may result in discipline. Not coming to school because of not wanting to wear a mask will result in unexcused absence.

*SLSD Athletes and Extracurricular Participants: If required to wear mask at school you are also to wear a mask at all school events and functions. The exception is while actually playing (while sitting on bench, you are to mask.)*

While under isolation, you are recommended to take precautions to prevent the possible spread of the communicable illness to others. Please observe the precautions below.

- » Stay home unless you have called a healthcare provider and been instructed to visit a medical facility.
- » Separate yourself from other people and animals in your home.
  - As much as possible, stay in a specific room and use a separate bathroom, if available.
- » Wear a facemask anytime you are around other people, pets and before you enter a healthcare facility.
- » Cover your coughs and sneezes. Throw used tissues in a lined trash can.
- » Wash your hands with soap and water often, especially after coughing or sneezing, for at least 20 seconds.
- » Avoid sharing personal household items, such as dishes, towels or bedding.
- » Monitor your symptoms. If they become worse, call your healthcare provider, and tell them you have, or are being evaluated for, COVID-19.
- » If you have a medical emergency and need to call 911, notify dispatch personnel that you have, or are being evaluated for, COVID-19. If possible, put on a facemask before emergency services arrive.

Thank you for your cooperation.

On behalf of the Meigs County Health Department/Southern Local School District  
Southern Wellness Center 740-949-2348  
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