

ENTERPRISE CITY SCHOOLS

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Enterprise City Schools will adhere to the following COVID-19 Isolation and Quarantine Guidelines for General Population (released by the CDC on August 11, 2022) for individuals who develop COVID-19 symptoms or test positive for COVID-19 regardless of symptoms or vaccination status:

- Stay at home a minimum of five (5) full days from the first onset of symptoms or the day of your positive test, whichever came first, regardless of symptoms or vaccination status (the day symptoms begin is day 0). Following your five (5) days at home, if you are asymptomatic (no symptoms), or your symptoms are resolving and without fever for 24 hours without fever reducing medication, you may return to school but must wear a mask for the next five (5) days. If your child cannot comply with the mask requirement, the student should quarantine for the full 10 days.
- If your symptoms are <u>not</u> resolving and/or you still have a fever five (5) days after the first onset of symptoms or testing positive for COVID-19, you are to remain at home until you are fever free for 24 hours without fever reducing medication and your other symptoms improve. Once your symptoms are resolving, and are fever free for 24 hours without fever reducing medication, you may return to school but <u>must</u> wear a mask for the next five (5) days. If your child cannot comply with the mask requirement, the student should quarantine for the full 10 days.

If you are a close contact to an individual who tested positive for COVID-19: Quarantine is no longer recommended for individuals who are exposed to Covid-19 in the school settings. It is recommended for individuals who were exposed to Covid-19 to wear a well-fitting mask for 10 days after the last exposure.

Close contacts may attend school while continuing to monitor their symptoms for the next 10 days following the exposure for any COVID-19 symptoms (fever >100.4°, chills, severe headache, sore throat, muscle or body aches, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, severe fatigue, new cough, new loss of taste or smell, shortness of breath, or difficulty breathing). It is highly recommended that your child wear a mask during this time.

Enterprise City Schools is committed to providing our students and staff with the safest environment possible. We will reevaluate these procedures and make changes as necessary based on further guidance. We appreciate your continued support!