

Can My Child Attend School Today?

Does your child have one of the following symptoms?

- Temperature greater than or equal to 100.0 degrees F (37.8 degrees C)
- Shortness of breath or trouble breathing
- Feel feverish or have chills
- Cough
- Sore throat
- Loss of taste or smell
- Nausea, vomiting or diarrhea
- Muscle pain, body aches and/or fatigue
- Headaches
- Nasal congestion/runny nose

If **yes**, then your child **cannot** attend school.

The following options are to be followed in order for your child to return to school:

1. Your child sees a health care provider and has a positive COVID-19 diagnostic test. Your child needs to be out of school for at least 5 days after onset of symptoms and be fever free without the use of fever reducing medications for 24 hours before returning to school. Upon returning to school, your child should wear a mask for an additional 5 days.
2. Your child has a negative COVID-19 diagnostic test, with improvement of symptoms and has been fever free for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medications.
3. Your child's health care provider provides an alternative diagnosis of a chronic health condition or acute illness.
4. If a COVID-19 diagnostic test is recommended but not done and no alternate diagnosis is provided by your healthcare provider then your child must remain in isolation at home at least 5 days from onset of symptoms, have improving symptoms and be fever-free without the use of fever reducing medication for 24 hours before returning to school.

Your child must remain out of school while waiting for test results