

Can my child go to school today?

(Answer the 3 questions in the blue boxes.)

Do you believe your child may have been in contact with an individual who tested positive for COVID-19?



YES

- Stay at home.
- Inform the school.Rest and recover.
- Student must stay home for 14 days from date of last contact with positive

individual.

NO

- •Come to school.
- •If your child has not been absent for illness, they may go directly to class.

Is your child ill with cold/flu-like symptoms?

(runny nose, congestion, sore throat, persistent cough, difficulty breathing, headache, chills, loss of taste/smell, significant muscle pains/aches, diarrhea, or vomiting)



YES

Stay at home.

- Inform the school.
- Rest and recover.
- •Call your healthcare provider if symptoms worsen.



- •Come to school.
- •If your child has not been absent for illness, they may go directly to class.

Does your child have a fever of 100.0 F or higher?



YES



- Inform the school.
- Rest and recover.
- Call your healthcare provider if symptoms worsen.

- NO
- •Come to school.
- If your child has not been absent for illness, they may go directly to class.



Has 72 hours passed (with your child being fever free without the use of fever-reducing medication in the last 24 hours) **AND** were they seen by their healthcare provider and diagnosed with something other than COVID-19 or received a Negative COVID-19 test?



YES

- Come to school.
- Give the school nurse the healthcare provider note or negative COVID-19 lab result for return to school.



NO

Follow the Return-to-School Criteria.

* Notify the school if your child tests positive and follow the Return-to-School criteria before returning to school.

*For clearance to return to school, the Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) test is recommended for clearance due to false negative results from Rapid COVID-19 test

RETURN-TO-SCHOOL CRITERIA:

If your child has a fever or other symptoms that could be from COVID-19 and does not get tested **OR** is not cleared by their healthcare provider, it is assumed the child has COVID-19 and may not return to school until the **following 3** criteria are met:

- Has been fever free for 24 hours without the use of medication
- 2. AND child has improved symptoms,
- 3. AND at least 10 days have passed since symptoms first appeared.