COVID UPDATE-February 3, 2022



• Lab-confirmed case of COVID-19

- Employees or students who have a lab-confirmed case of COVID-19
 - If no symptoms, the student or employee may return to school on day 6, and must wear a properly fitting mask until day 10
 - If symptomatic, the student or employee may return no sooner than day 6 if symptoms have improved, AND there has been no fever for at least 24 hours, without fever-reducing medication, and must wear a properly fitting, medical grade mask until day 10
 - For severe infections, students or employees must isolate for at least 10 days, or until symptoms improve and there has been no fever for at least 24 hours, without fever-reducing medication
 - It is recommended, but not required that a negative COVID-19 test be produced to return to school, when a school practices universal masking

Household Exposure

- If vaccinated or have received a positive test in the last 90 days, students do not quarantine unless they develop symptoms. If symptoms develop, stay home and follow the positive test protocol.
- If unvaccinated you are required to do one of the following:
 - Stay home for 5 days. Test on day 6. Return with a negative test and wear a mask through day 10.
 - Stay home for 10 days without a test. Return on day 11.

<u>Quarantine Measures for Close Contacts</u>

- Screen daily for COVID like symptoms.
- **Return to school** and monitor for symptoms.
- Mask recommended.
- If you develop symptoms or test positive you will stay home and follow the positive test protocol.
- How to count days
 - Day 0 is the date of student's positive test or first day of symptoms
 - Day 1 is the first full day after a positive test or symptoms start

If your student is sick, please keep them home and determine the proper testing protocols.

Please contact Heather directly if your student has been exposed to COVID (in your home or outside of it), has symptoms, is being tested, or is positive.

*Universal indoor masking will be required in any school community where the number of positive cases of COVID-19 in students or employees meets or exceeds 3% of the total population (students and employees) within a 14-day rolling average.