COVID-19 Quarantine Guidance Flowchart K-12 schools

Close Contact

Are you staff or a student?

STAFF

Are you vaccinated\*?

STUDENT Are you vaccinated\*?

NO YES NO YES

Quarantine for What was the distance

5 days, mask for symptoms? between you and the symptoms? seek testing. positive student case?

**OR** Participate in

TTS program if

available.**ꝉ** Get tested between 3-6

and stay Quarantine Were both ft. of an

home until for 5 days, students

Get tested 5 days symptoms mask for

after exposure. You have another 5 and

don’t need to resolved for seek testing. consistently

quarantine but wear 24 hours. Participate in and you were

others. Isolate if test test is TTS program if either was

is positive. positive. unmasked, wear a

**\*** **Vaccinated** This means You are ages 18 or older and mask and get have received all [recommended vaccine doses,](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/booster-shot.html)

including [boosters](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/booster-shot.html) and [additional primary shots](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/recommendations/immuno.html) for some immunocompromised people. You are ages 5-17 years and completed the [primary series](https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/clinical-considerations/covid-19-vaccines-us.html?CDC_AA_refVal=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.cdc.gov%2Fvaccines%2Fcovid-19%2Finfo-by-product%2Fclinical-considerations.html#children) of COVID-19 vaccines. You had confirmed COVID-19 within the last

90 days (you tested positive using a [viral test)](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/testing.html).1 YES

**ꝉ** **TTS**, or Test-to-Stay, is limited to asymptomatic testing. Do you have unvaccinated or partially vaccinated students and staff

with in-school exposures where exposure occurred during periods of masking. The 1st test should be within 2-4 days after exposure. The 2nd test should be within 5-7 days after exposure. Only available at

participating schools.**2** YES

A person is considered a **close** **contact** if they were within 6 ft Get tested and of an infectious person for 15 consecutive minutes or more in

an indoor school setting with or without a mask. **EXCEPTION**: In the K–12 indoor classroom or structured

outdoor setting, the close contact definition excludes students

who were within 3 to 6 feet of an infected student (laboratory- symptoms confirmed or a clinically compatible illness) if both the infected resolved. student and the exposed student(s) correctly and consistently Isolate if test is wore well-fitting masks the entire time.1 positive.

1 <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/quarantine-isolation.html>

2 <https://www.alleghenycounty.us/Health-Department/Resources/COVID-19/Information-on-COVID-19-Testing.aspx>

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