

PEDIATRIC COVID GUIDELINES

Interpreting Your Child's Test Results

Scenario	Testing	Isolation/Quarantine
Your child has a positive Covid test.	N/A	Isolate from school for 10 days.
Your child is fully vaccinated against Covid, has no symptoms and has been in close contact of someone who tested positive for Covid.	Covid test at around day 5 post exposure.	No quarantine needed if child remains symptom free. If test is positive for Covid → 10 days of isolation. If test is negative for Covid → Monitor for symptoms for 14 days and call doctor if symptoms develop.
Your child is not fully vaccinated (unvaccinated or partially vaccinated) against Covid, has no symptoms and has been in close contact of someone who tested positive for Covid with no ongoing exposures. (i.e. Not a member of your household.) <i>NOTE – It is NOT considered close contact if exposure was from another student at school with both students fully masked.</i>	Covid test at around day 5 post exposure.	Must quarantine for at least 7 days. If Covid testing is negative at day 5, can return to school after 7 days if child remains symptom free. If Covid testing is positive → 10 days of isolation.
Your child is not fully vaccinated against Covid, has no symptoms, and has been in close contact of someone who tested positive for Covid and has ongoing exposure (i.e. Household member who is Covid positive.)	Covid test at around day 5 post exposure.	Must quarantine for at least 7 days. If Covid testing is negative at day 5, can return to school after 10 days from the LAST day of isolation for the household contact. If household contact is positive and needs 10 days of isolation, patient needs 10 additional days of isolation starting with the household contact's LAST day of isolation.
Your child had tested positive for Covid in the past 90 days, has no symptoms and is a close contact of someone who tested positive for Covid.	No Covid testing.	No quarantine.
Your child is symptomatic.	Call your provider's office for a virtual visit to determine if Covid testing is necessary.	If Covid test is positive, isolate for at least 10 days.

Please contact your child's doctor with any questions.

