

2021-2022 Eligibility Criteria for In-Person Participation in School Classes, Events, Activities or Athletics

An important strategy for minimizing the risk of the spread of COVID-19 is a commitment to staying home when sick. Staff members, students, parents, and visitors are asked to self screen at home daily utilizing this eligibility criteria, prior to attending school classes, events, activities or athletics. **Individuals with probable or confirmed COVID-19, exposure to someone with COVID-19, or symptoms that may be COVID-19 should stay home, seek medical advice, and contact the school for more information.** Readmission criteria is outlined below. Thank you for helping us keep our school community healthy. Click [HERE](#) for Frequently Asked Questions

<p>Do you have any (1) of the following new or worsening COVID-19 symptoms, not normal for self?</p> <p>Temperature of 100.0° F or higher Loss of taste or smell Cough Difficulty breathing Chills Sore throat Body aches / Muscle Pain Vomiting or Diarrhea Unexplained Headache or Fatigue Unexplained Congestion or Runny Nose</p>	<p>Have you been diagnosed with probable or confirmed COVID-19 in the last 10 days?</p>	<p>Have you been in close contact with a lab-confirmed COVID-19+ individual in the last 10 days?</p> <p>*Close contact is defined as being within approximately 6ft of a COVID-19+ individual for a total of 15 minutes or more during the infectious period. The infectious period is defined as 2 days before the start of symptoms or 2 days before a COVID-19 + test in asymptomatic individuals and ends when the individual is medically cleared.</p>
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If ALL of the screening questions for eligibility can be answered no, the individual is eligible to participate in person today.			

	Yes	Yes	Yes
If ANY (1) of the screening questions is answered yes, the individual is not eligible to participate in-person today, until the corresponding readmission criteria has been met.			
<p>Individuals with 1 or more symptoms are encouraged to seek medical advice. Due to high transmission rates in our region, Readmission is permitted after the following:</p> <p>After completion of a full 10 days from symptom onset</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Obtain a medical professional's note with clearance to return to school based on an alternate diagnosis</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Obtain a negative COVID-19 PCR or Rapid Antigen test</p> <p>(please note: at-home self-administered rapid antigen tests will not be accepted as clearance to return to school, documentation of lab test results are required)</p>	<p>Individuals with probable or confirmed COVID-19 are encouraged to seek medical advice. Readmission is permitted after the following 3-step criteria has been met:</p> <p>Fever free for at least 1 day (24 hours) without the use of fever-reducing medicine AND improvement in symptoms AND at least 10 days have passed since symptoms first appeared.</p> <p>*Parents should be made aware of the American Academy of Pediatrics recommendations for youth returning to physical activity and/or sports after testing positive for COVID-19. https://bit.ly/3kbtziY Please consider consulting with your family healthcare provider for advice.</p>	<p>Individuals with exposure to COVID-19 are encouraged to seek medical advice. Readmission is permitted after the following:</p> <p>If the individual remains asymptomatic for the full 10 days he/she will be permitted to return.</p> <p>If he/she became symptomatic during the quarantine period, readmission will be permitted after the following 3-step criteria has been met:</p> <p>Fever free for at least 1 day (24 hours) without the use of fever-reducing medicine AND improvement in symptoms AND at least 10 days have passed since symptoms first appeared.</p> <p>*Consistent with CDC, individuals that have been fully vaccinated or have tested positive in the last 3 months, do not need to quarantine for close contact exposure, unless symptomatic.</p>	