



## COVID-19 RESPONSE PLAN

The district will conduct symptom screening for students/staff to include temperature checks.

Symptoms of COVID-19 include fever greater than 100.4, new cough, shortness of breath, chills, muscle pain, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell and gastrointestinal symptoms (vomiting, diarrhea, etc.).

Well students needing medication, diabetic care, etc. will be cared for in an area separate from sick students.

Students/staff considered “high risk” will be instructed to contact their health care provider for guidance on re-entry to school.

Exclusion criteria includes: Temperature greater than 100.4, and/or new cough, and/or vomiting/diarrhea, and/or new rash and/or exposure to a COVID-19 case in a 48- hour period.

Staff members will be required to notify their supervisor and go home immediately according to the exclusion criteria.

Students will be isolated and supervised and parent/guardian contacted to pick up according to the exclusion criteria. If parent/guardian is unable to pick up or cannot be reached, FRC or Transportation will be contacted to assist. The student will not be allowed to go home sick on the bus.

The district will encourage the parent/guardian or staff member to contact their health care provider for recommendations regarding treatment.

If COVID-19 symptoms and/or positive COVID-19 test results are detected during the school day, the principal and/or school nurse will be the point of contact. If detected after the school day, the principal will be the point of contact.

If students/staff test positive for COVID-19, the following criteria must be met before returning to school: At least 10 days since symptoms first appeared **and** at least 24 hours with no fever without fever-reducing medication **and** symptoms have improved. Return to school guidance for other illness: Fever and symptom free for 24 hours without fever-reducing medication. A negative COVID-19 test or doctor’s note should **not** be required for return.