

WHAT TO DO IF YOUR CHILD IS SICK, TESTS POSITIVE FOR COVID-19, OR IS EXPOSED TO COVID-19 OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL:

WHAT TO DO IF YOUR CHILD IS SICK:

If your child is feeling sick, KEEP THEM AT HOME.

If your child is showing any of these symptoms of COVID-19, please keep them home from school:

fever or chills, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, new loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea

AND:

Report the absence to your child's school.

YOUR CHILD CAN RETURN TO SCHOOL WHEN:

1. Their symptoms improve.
2. They are fever free without the use of fever-reducing medications for 24 hours.

WHAT TO DO IF YOUR CHILD TESTS POSITIVE FOR COVID-19:

Regardless of vaccination status, if your child tests positive for COVID-19:

1. Report the absence to your child's school.
2. Fill out the reporting [form online](#). Lebanon City Schools' COVID nurse or contact tracer will contact you to explain next steps.
3. Your child is required to STAY HOME for 5 days and stay away from others as much as possible.

YOUR CHILD CAN RETURN TO SCHOOL WHEN:

1. If your child is fever-free without the use of fever-reducing medications and their symptoms are improving, on day 6 they may return to school. They must wear a mask to school for the following 5 days.
2. If they have a fever or other symptoms on day 6, they must stay home until their fever is gone and other symptoms are better. Once they return to school they must wear a mask for the following 5 days.
3. A negative COVID-19 test is not required for your child to return to school.

WHAT TO DO IF YOUR CHILD IS EXPOSED TO A POSITIVE COVID-19 CASE OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL:

Lebanon City Schools is following the new guidelines released by the state and local health departments for exposures happening **OUTSIDE** of the school setting:

1. Fill out the reporting [form online](#). Lebanon City Schools' COVID nurse or contact tracer will contact you to explain next steps.
2. Regardless of vaccination status, the student is allowed to stay in school, as long as they are symptom free, and they must wear a mask for 10 days following exposure.

IF SYMPTOMS DEVELOP, STAY HOME.

If your student participates in extracurricular activities and they are unvaccinated, you may request for them to continue participating in their activity by opting into the Test to Play option. As long as they test negative, they can continue to participate and wear a mask as much as possible for 10 days.

CONTACT TRACING INFORMATION:

School districts are no longer required to contact families if a student is exposed to a positive COVID-19 case while at school. School districts are not required to conduct contact tracing.

The district will continue to report positive COVID-19 cases weekly on the district's website.



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