

### **Symptom Screening for Parents**

Please complete this short check each morning before sending your child(ren) to school.

**Section 1**: Please check your student for any of the following symptoms:

- Temperature of 100.4 or higher
- Sore throat
- New or uncontrolled cough that causes difficulty in breathing
- Diarrhea, vomiting or abdominal pain
- Onset of severe headache, especially with a fever

If your child has any of these symptoms, please keep them at home. Your child can return to campus when they have been symptom and fever free for 24 hours without medication.

## **Section 2**: If your student has had:

- close contact (within 6 feet of an infected person for at least 15 minutes or more within a 24-hour period regardless of mask usage) with a person with confirmed COVID-19 your child should seek evaluation by a health care provider before returning to school and:
  - o Asymptomatic students may return to school: updated 3/4/21
    - If an asymptomatic close contact gets tested by polymerase chain reaction (PCR) test on Day 6 or later and receive negative results, the student/staff may end quarantine after completion of Day 7 and may return to school on Day 8.
      OR
    - Without testing, an asymptomatic close contact student/staff may end
       quarantine after completion of Day 10, and may return to school on Day 11.
    - Under special circumstances, students should quarantine for 14 days. This would apply to someone who will be exposed to medically vulnerable individuals.
  - o Symptomatic students may return to school:
    - After at least 10 days have passed since symptom onset
- If your child has tested positive for COVID-19, they must meet all 3 of the criteria below in order to return to campus.
  - o At least 10 days have passed since symptom onset
  - o At least 24 hours have passed since resolution of fever without the use of fever-reducing medication.
  - o Other symptoms have improved.
    - If NO on Section 1 and NO on Section 2: Please bring your child to school!

# Additional quarantine considerations: Updated information 3/4/21

- Individuals who have tested positive for COVID-19 within the last 3 months and recovered do not have to quarantine or get tested again as long as they do not develop symptoms of COVID-19.
- Vaccinated person with an exposure to a confirmed or probable case of COVID-19 are not required to quarantine if they are fully vaccinated (i.e., greater than or equal to 2 weeks following receipt of the second dose in a 2-dose series, or greater than or equal to 2 weeks following receipt of one does of a single-dose vaccine) and remain asymptomatic.



# When a Student/Staff Displays Symptoms on Campus

- If a student or employee becomes ill while on campus, they will be directed to an isolated area and further evaluated. If there is a pre-existing condition on file that explains the symptoms, the student will be returned to the classroom after administration evaluates and speaks with the student/employee. If administration feels the student should go home, parents will be called immediately and the child will remain in the isolated area.
- If COVID-19 symptoms are present, with or without fever, administration will take the individual to an isolation area until a parent is able to come pick them up.
- All CCA students and employees will be required to self-report to administration if they test positive for COVID-19.
- Upon discovering that an employee or student has tested positive, CCA will contact the county Health officials as necessary for reporting, contact tracing, and instructions.
- CCA will work with DOH, it is the DOH who will decide who needs to quarantine.

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## If your student is in class with a person who contracts COVID-19

- You will receive a phone call and email from administration in the event that your student has been close enough to the individual to warrant possible Quarantine or Isolation.
- Administration will send out a notice on "Remind" and email stating which sections or students and staff *are not* affected and *did not* come in contact with the infected person.

### Close Contact is defined as:

- Being within 6 feet of someone who has COVID-19 for at least 15 minutes
- Providing care at home to someone who is sick with COVID-19
- Direct physical contact with the person (touched, hugged, or kissed them)
- Sharing eating or drinking utensils
- Directly exposed to respiratory droplets

The **Symptom Screening** guidelines are in place to provide quick and easy answers to the question concerning when a student or staff member may return to campus.

**COVID-19 testing locations** 

CDC website with updated symptom list