



# West Carrollton School District

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## West Carrollton School District COVID-19 Guidelines Effective 8/22/22

As of August 22nd, 2022 West Carrollton Schools has updated its COVID-19 protocols for the new school year. The district will no longer require quarantine for COVID-19 **exposures** happening inside or outside of the school setting. Students should be monitored daily for any signs or symptoms of COVID-19, regardless of exposure or vaccination status. If signs or symptoms are present, please keep your student home and notify your school's nurse.

### **Isolation Requirements - For a student testing positive for COVID-19**

- The student must isolate at home for a minimum of five days *following* the development of symptoms or, if symptom-free, the day of the positive test result. The school nurse will determine the child's date of return based on each student's unique situation.
- A student who is fever-free and has improved symptoms may return to school on the sixth day of infection **IF THE STUDENT RETURNS TO SCHOOL WEARING A MASK** through day 10.
- For students who are unwilling or unable to wear a mask a 10 day isolation period will be imposed.

In the event a student contracts COVID-19 more than once in one school year, the parent or guardian must provide written documentation of the second and subsequent positive test results in order to have the related absences excused.

### **Close Contacts / Exposure to COVID-19**

- If an individual is exposed to COVID-19, regardless of vaccination status, he/she does not need to quarantine, but should monitor for symptoms. No mask is required for close contact / exposures.

### **Sports and Extracurricular Activities**

- There are no longer special testing or masking requirements for sports and extracurricular activities.
- In the event a student tests positive, the isolation requirements outlined above should be followed.

### **Testing**

If you need a COVID-19 test kit for your student please notify your school's nurse. The district does have a limited supply of tests and can provide them if available.