

MCS 2023 – 2024 COVID PROTOCOL

Current CDC guidance does not consider vaccination status

Student or staff **POSITIVE** for COVID-19:

- Isolate at home for **5 days** from symptom onset, or 5 days from test date if no symptoms.
- May return to school/work on day 6 if symptoms have improved and no fever for 24 hours.
- Wearing a **mask** on days 6-10 is recommended.
- Athletes may return to play on day 6, if not severely ill.

Student or staff **EXPOSED** to COVID-19:

- NO quarantine required.
- Monitor for symptoms.
- If symptoms develop, please test for COVID-19.

Parents and staff may contact the School Nurse to receive guidance on COVID-19 protocol.

CDC no longer recommends universal case investigation and contact tracing. School nursing no longer performs these tasks related to COVID-19. Positive COVID-19 results are no longer tracked and reported to the state department.