



BISHOP CHATARD HIGH SCHOOL

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Covid Protocol and Sick Policy as of 03/23/2022

Schools are no longer required to contact trace or report positive cases to IDOH.

Schools are no longer required to quarantine students exposed to a known positive individual, regardless of vaccination status. Parents will be notified via email if their child has been exposed to COVID-19.

If a student has been exposed to someone with COVID-19, if symptoms develop, get a test and stay home if positive, follow isolation guidance. If the test is negative, return to school when symptoms have resolved.

Symptomatic students should stay home until their symptoms have improved and they have been fever free for 24 hours without taking any fever reducing medication. A negative COVID-19 Test or doctor's note is no longer required to return to school.

Masks are optional within our school, and no longer required on buses.

Individuals who test positive for COVID-19

- Should stay home and isolate from other people for at least 5 full days (day 0 is the first day of symptoms or the date of the day of the Positive viral test for asymptomatic persons).
- People who are in isolation may return to school on day 6 as long as they remain fever free for 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medications and symptoms have improved.
- They should wear a mask around others at home, in public, and at school for an additional 5 days (days 6-10).
- People who are confirmed to have COVID-19 regardless of their vaccination status or symptoms should be isolated.

Reasons a student will be sent home from school

- Fever of 100.4 or greater
- Persistent Diarrhea
- Vomiting

- Pink eye with yellow or green drainage
- Pain or Injury that does not allow them to participate in school.
- Students with any above symptoms should stay home from school until symptoms have resolved.

Virtual Learning

Students that have tested positive for COVID-19, or are awaiting a COVID-19 test result, are afforded the opportunity, and expected to join virtually if out due to COVID-19. If a student is at home and coded "COV", a synchronous Google Meet is available to them. Absent students should make every effort to connect with teachers by email or via Google Meet during our daily seminar period to talk about assignments and assessments. PLEASE CONTACT medical@bishopchatard.org with any questions.