OPS COVID Policy

If you have a child exhibiting symptoms of COVID:

• Keep your child home until you have received negative test results.

If you have a child that tests positive for COVID:

• Keep your child isolated at home for at least 5 days*.

• If symptoms have resolved and your child is fever-free for 24 hours without the use of medication, your child may return to school and continue to wear a high-quality mask for an additional 5 days.

• If your child has a fever or if symptoms persist, keep your child home until the symptoms are resolved.

If you have a child who has had an exposure to a person (sibling/parent/student) with a confirmed COVID case regardless of the vaccination status of your child:

• Wear a high-quality mask at school and while around others for 10 days and get tested on day 5.

FAQ's

*Day 0 is the first FULL day of symptoms.

Home Testing: A positive home test is considered positive, no need to retest. Follow protocol.

Masks are not recommended for children younger than 2 years old.

The CDC may have additional guidelines in place regarding COVID testing and for young children that are too young/unable to wear a mask.

To report a COVID-related sickness, please contact:

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