

Kerrville ISD

COVID 19 Protocols – Updated 8-5-22



Prevention Measures

- Masks are allowed
 - students and staff must be respectful of individual mask choices
 - teachers may not require students to wear masks in their classroom
- Provide hand sanitizer at building entrances and in learning spaces
- Teach and encourage good hygiene practices
 - frequent hand washing
 - cover coughs
 - do not touch your eyes, nose, or mouth with unwashed hands
- Disinfect “high contact” commonly touched surfaces
 - Oxivir spray bottles, rubbing alcohol and paper shop towels in classrooms – teachers and staff clean classroom desks and other frequently touched surfaces
 - Custodial use Oxivir filled spray bottles to clean commonly touched surfaces in common areas such as handrails, and door knobs
- **For the Fall Semester 2022 only**, Covid-19 Rapid Result Testing will be available for staff that are symptomatic or “living with a Covid-19 positive person”. The Covid-19 rapid result testing will be administered by trained KISD personnel by appointment. Departments not on a traditional campus can contact a campus near their work place for appointment availability.
- **For the Fall Semester 2022 only:** *Upon parent request, students that are living with a Covid-19 positive person can be tested on campus (only if the student has a “Covid-19 Positive Person Living in the Home”).* Student testing will be administered by trained KISD personnel and available by appointment on most campuses. Contact your campus for appointment times and procedures. See the return to school procedures below under “**Covid-19 Positive Person Living in the Home:**” for more information on when to request a test.

COVID Positive and Symptomatic People

- **COVID positive symptomatic** people should self-isolate until the following conditions have been met:
 - 5 days have passed since symptoms first appeared, **and**
 - Fever free for 24 hours without fever suppressing medication, **and**
 - Other symptoms have improved



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- **COVID Positive a-symptomatic** people should self-isolate for 5 days after the day they tested positive.
- **Symptomatic** people (who are sick) and have **not been tested** should stay home and not attend school or work until they are;
 - fever free for 24 hours without fever suppressing medication **and**
 - Other symptoms have improved

Covid-19 Positive Person Living in the Home: People who are living with a Covid-19 positive person **are not required to isolate and may attend school or work under the following conditions:**

- Closely monitor for the onset of symptoms

People in Close Contact with a COVID Positive Person at School or in the Community

- Students in close contact with a Covid-19 positive person at school or in the community will **not** be required to quarantine, **but**
- Parents should closely monitor their student's health after close contact with a Covid-19 positive person and contact a medical professional if their student becomes symptomatic

Campus Notifications

- There will not be notifications from the campus to notify parents of positive cases unless there is a significant spike in cases in a particular classroom or campus.
- Campuses will not be expected to conduct contact tracing.