



2021-22 TRCS Protocols for COVID-19 in School/Classroom

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	Scenario	Action	Communication
1	A student/staff member exhibits COVID-19 symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• BinaxNow test provided to student/staff, recommend PCR test• Student/staff is sent home• Student/staff may return after being fever free for 24 hours, symptoms improve and negative BinaxNow antigen test upon return to school	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No action needed
2	Student/staff tests positive for COVID-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Isolate for 10 days• Day 0 is date of positive test with return on Day 10.• Recommend PCR test• Group Tracing initiated*	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Exposure notice sent to classes/groups exposed to positive case
3	Student/staff close contact with COVID-19 positive case at school or at home. <u>Student/staff has no symptoms.</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• regardless of vaccination status and mask/no mask• positive case in home is able to isolate (no ongoing contact)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Student/staff may continue to attend school• If have symptoms, must stay home and isolate• Test 2 times/week (1 test within 3-5 days of exposure)• May continue participating in extracurriculars.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Exposure notice sent to classes/groups exposed to positive case
4	Student/staff close contact with COVID-19 positive case at school or at home. <u>Student/staff has symptoms.</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• regardless of vaccination status and mask/no mask• positive case in home is able to isolate (no ongoing contact)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• BinaxNow test provided to student/staff, recommend PCR test• Student/staff is sent home for 5 Day quarantine.• Student/staff may return after being fever free for 24 hours, symptoms improve and negative Binax antigen test.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Exposure notice sent to classes/groups exposed to positive case
5	Student/staff close contact with COVID-19 positive case at home and <u>isolation is not possible</u> (ongoing contact)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Student/staff must quarantine for 10 days and may return with a negative Binax or PCR test	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Exposure notice sent to classes/groups exposed to positive case

[*Group Tracing Approach:](#)

- Notification will occur if a COVID-19 positive individual spent 15 or more minutes in a shared indoor space (classroom).
- Exposed students, regardless of vaccination status, will be tested at school 2 times a week (1 test occurring within 3-5 days of exposure)
- Those who won't test must quarantine at home for 10 days
- Exposed students who participate in testing may continue to take part in extracurriculars