

# Can my vaccinated child go to school?

For fully immunized students (14 days after last dose)



[Click here to view this flowchart for unvaccinated children](#)



**CSD Nurses COVID Hotline: 971-301-4393**

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## SYMPTOMS

- Cough
- Temperature of 100.4° or greater
- Chills
- Shortness of breath
- Difficulty breathing
- New loss of taste or smell
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- Sore throat
- Nasal congestion or runny nose
- Nausea
- Vomiting
- Diarrhea

➔ *A negative test is required prior to returning to school for students with this symptom*

*Visit [bit.ly/CSDScreening](http://bit.ly/CSDScreening) for COVID-19 testing locations*



## CLOSE CONTACT

**Close Contact** includes anyone in one or more of the following categories:

- Been within 6 feet of a person with COVID-19 for a combined total of 15 minutes or more within a 24-hour period
- Live in the same household as a person with COVID-19
- Cared for a person with COVID-19
- Been in direct contact with saliva or other body secretions from a person with COVID-19 (for example: been coughed on, shared utensils, etc.)

In a K-12 indoor classroom setting, the close contact definition excludes students who were at least 3 feet away from an infected student when

- Both students were wearing face coverings/masks **AND**
- Other prevention strategies were in place

This exception does not apply to teachers, staff, or other adults in the indoor classroom setting.

## SCREENING TESTING

The Corvallis School District offers a free COVID-19 screening program to help stop the spread of COVID-19 and keep our schools open for in-person learning. While we strongly encourage our unvaccinated students to participate in screening testing, all students are welcome to sign up.

**Testing is FREE to all students.**

### What is Screening Testing?

Screening testing occurs on a weekly basis to help us identify COVID-19 cases in asymptomatic individuals, especially unvaccinated individuals. Testing kits are sent home every Monday with students and are administered at home using a nasal swab. Students bring their testing kits back to school on Tuesday morning to be picked up by Willamette Valley Toxicology (WVT). Test results are sent electronically to parents/guardians.

Visit [bit.ly/CSDScreening](http://bit.ly/CSDScreening) for more information about COVID-19 testing in our schools.

## QUARANTINE

Because our students are correctly and consistently wearing masks, and the district has other prevention strategies in place (ventilation, handwashing, screening, contact tracing, cleaning, and testing), students who were sitting 3 feet or more from the COVID positive student are not confirmed exposures and will not be required to quarantine.

For individuals who are required to quarantine, Benton County Health Department makes the final decisions about how long quarantine should last based on local conditions and needs. Please follow the recommendations of Benton County Health Department if your student needs to quarantine.