Savanna School District COVID-19 Response Guide



This guide has been developed to help administrators and school office staff respond to various scenarios and is aligned to the California Department of Public Health and Orange County Health Care Agency guidelines.

Asymptomatic Persons Who are Exposed to Someone with COVID-19 (No Quarantine)	Recommended Actions
 Everyone, regardless of vaccination status, is recommended to follow the actions to the right. Exception: Persons infected within the prior 90 days do not need to be tested unless symptoms develop. 	 Testing is recommended 3-5 days after last exposure. Close contacts should wear a well-fitting mask around others for a total of 10 days, especially in indoor settings and when near those at higher risk for severe COVID-19 disease. If symptoms develop, test and stay home AND If test result is positive, follow isolation guidelines below.

	Individual is exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19 (but has not tested)	Individual has tested positive for COVID-19 must:
IMMEDIATE FIRST STEPS	 Staff members and students who develop new, unexplained symptoms should not return to campus until it is clear that symptoms are mild and improving or are due to a non-infectious cause (e.g., allergies). This includes waiting until 24 hours have passed since resolution of fever without the use of fever-reducing medications. If symptoms are concerning for COVID-19, it is strongly recommended that students and staff wear a mask and get tested immediately. 	 Stay home for at least 5 days after start of symptoms (or after date of first positive test if no symptoms). Isolation can end any time after Day 5 if symptoms are not present or are resolving AND a COVID antigen (rapid/at-home) test collected on Day 5 or later tests negative. If unable to test or you choose not to test, isolation can end after Day 10 if fever-free for 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medications. If fever is present, isolation should be continued until 24 hours after fever resolves. Infected persons should wear a well-fitting mask around others for a total of 10 days, especially in indoor settings. **
WHO TO NOTIFY	If staff or student tests positive for COVID-19, contact the school office or call our Health Services Team and leave a message at 714-236-3820.	Health Services will contact the positive student/staff with guidance on next steps.

A member of the District's Health Services Team will evaluate symptoms on a case-by-case basis to determine if a student or staff member should be tested. Staff members may request a COVID-19 test at any time from a member of the District's Health Services Team. Students with permission slips on file in the school office may be tested by a member of the District's Health Services Team.