

COVID PROTOCOL UPDATE

Effective January 20, 2022 the Kansas Dept of Health and Environment has suspended Contact Tracing & Quarantine Efforts for the *Next 30 Days* due to a shortage of testing supplies with the high rate of Covid-Positive Cases.

We are asking families to follow the Guidance provided below regarding symptomatic students and known exposures.

I HAVE TESTED POSITIVE FOR COVID

- Staff or Students Must Complete a Five (5) Day Isolation Period
- Individuals May Return To School on Day Six (6) Under the Following Criteria:
 - No Covid Symptoms or Symptoms are Resolving
 - Fever Free for 24 Hours Without the Aid of Fever Reducing Medication
 - **WELL-FITTING MASK REQUIRED FOR 5 ADDITIONAL DAYS** at all times including sports and activities

I HAVE BEEN IN CLOSE CONTACT WITH A PERSON WITH COVID

- Families will Need to Monitor for Symptoms. If Symptoms Develop **PLEASE STAY HOME**
- Optional On-Site Testing will Continue to be Available (with Completed Parent Consent Form for Students) as Long as Supplies are Available.

PLEASE FOLLOW THESE BEST PRACTICES

- **If you are Feeling Unwell, PLEASE STAY HOME**
- Social Distance as Best as Possible, Masks are Always Encouraged, and Maintain Good Hygiene Practices with Frequent Hand Washing and Sanitizing

Please consult your student's school for further information regarding this protocol update if you have further questions.

