

Scott County Schools COVID-19 Decision Matrix

Scenario	Mandatory Absence	Return to School
Staff or student who are more than 6 months out from their second Pfizer or Moderna dose (or more than 2 months after the J&J vaccine) and NOT yet boosted who have unmasked contact with positive non-household or household member.	Quarantine for 5 days followed by mask use at school for days 6-10.	If subject to quarantine for 5 days, eligible for Test to Stay to return to school upon negative results.
Staff or student who are more than 6 months out from their second Pfizer or Moderna dose (or more than 2 months after the J&J vaccine) and boosted who have unmasked contact with positive non-household or household member.	None required.	Immediately.
Staff or student who are less than 6 months out from their second Pfizer or Moderna dose (or less than 2 months after the J&J vaccine) who have unmasked contact with positive non-household or household member.	None required.	Immediately.
Staff or student who have DOCUMENTED proof of a positive test within the last 90 days who have unmasked contact with positive non-household or household member.	None required.	Immediately.
Student/staff contact with a positive person while masked. (Mask to Mask)	None required unless mask use is inconsistent by either person or if within 3 feet for majority of day.	Immediately.
Student/staff* tests positive for COVID-19 (regardless of symptoms).	Required absence for 5 calendar days from either: (A) Date test taken for asymptomatic or (B) Date of first symptoms. Negative result does not lift 5 days. All positives subject to mask requirement at school for days 6-10 if permitted to return at that time.	After mandatory absence served and person has sign/symptoms resolving and been fever-free for 24 hours prior to the return to school. Negative test not required for return to school.
Student/staff contact with someone quarantined due to exposure to a COVID-19 positive person (contact of a contact).	Until the quarantined person tests positive, a contact of a contact is cleared to come to school. Recommended that the contact of a contact demonstrate the highest level of healthy habits.	Immediately.
Student/staff* with fever OR multiple signs/symptoms of COVID-19 (1 st occurrence).	Required absence rest of current day and required absence the calendar day that follows. Recommend PCR COVID-19 test.	After mandatory absence served and person has been sign/symptom free for 24 hours prior to return to school.
Student/staff* with fever OR multiple signs/symptoms of COVID-19 (2 nd occurrence in 5 days).	Required absence for 5 calendar days from 1st occurrence. Negative result from PCR COVID-19 test takes away 5-day absence requirement.	After mandatory absence is served, unless a negative result from a test is obtained and person has been sign/symptom free for 24 hours prior to return to school earlier, but mask required days 6-10.
Unvaccinated Student/staff* unmasked contact with COVID-19 positive non-household or household member.	Quarantine for 5 days followed by mask use at school for days 6-10.	If subject to quarantine for 5 days, eligible for Test to Stay to return to school upon negative results.
Vaccinated Student/Staff* with symptoms.	Verified by health official, excused absence rest of current day and excused absence the calendar day that follows. Recommend PCR COVID-19 test.	After mandatory absence served, and released by health official, staff/student can return to campus.

*Staff must use personal leave time unless they qualify for state allocated COVID emergency days.