

DALLAS ISD

Screening & Prevention

SELF-SCREENING

Students, staff and visitors should self-screen before going to a district facility by checking their temperature and determining if they have any of the following new or worsening signs or symptoms of possible COVID-19:

- x Cough, shortness of breath/difficulty breathing
- x Chills/repeated shaking with chills
- x Muscle aches/body aches/fatigue
- x Headache
- x Sore throat
- x Congestion or runny nose
- x Loss of taste or smell
- x Nausea/vomiting/diarrhea
- x Fever of 100.4 or greater
- x Known close contact with a person who has COVID

Students and staff running a fever of 100.4 or higher, or feeling ill, should stay home and not report to the campus. A health provider should be contacted if necessary. Parents should notify their child's campus of the absence. Staff must notify their supervisor regarding the absence.

VACCINATED VS. UNVACCINATED

Unvaccinated Students/Staff

Persons who had close contact with a person known to have COVID-19 and who meet the following criteria do not need to stay home and quarantine:

- x Tested positive for COVID-19 within the past three months, or
- x Fully vaccinated

The CDC recommends fully vaccinated people who have a known exposure to someone with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 to be tested three to five calendar days after exposure and to wear a mask in public indoor settings for up to 14 days or until they receive a negative test result.

Staff who are placed on quarantine by their campus nurse or Health Services may receive up to 10 days on a quarantine status. If a staff member chooses not to get tested as directed by Health Services, the staff member's days will be decremented against their paid time off (PTO) balance.

