



# AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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## **Important Health and Safety Notice: Exclusion from School for COVID-19**

As students return to the Avon Grove School District buildings, the District reminds parents/guardians of their responsibility to take measures to mitigate the risk their student(s) may present to others in the school community.

**A student who has a positive COVID-19 test may not attend school in person.**

**A student who has symptoms of COVID-19 may not attend school in person.**

Symptoms are defined as having 1 or more symptom(s) in Group A, 2 or more symptoms in Group B or taking medication to suppress a fever. Parents/guardians are responsible for monitoring their student for symptoms of COVID-19.

**A student who develops symptoms of COVID-19 during school hours will be sent home.**

Symptoms are defined as having 1 or more symptom(s) in Group A, 2 or more symptoms in Group B or taking medication to suppress a fever. Parents/guardians are responsible for monitoring their student for symptoms of COVID-19.

<b><u>Group A</u></b> <b><u>1 or more symptoms</u></b>	<b><u>Group B</u></b> <b><u>2 or more symptoms</u></b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lack of smell or taste (without congestion)</li><li>• Cough</li><li>• Shortness of breath</li><li>• Difficulty breathing</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fever (99.5 temporal or Oral temperature 100.4)</li><li>• Headache</li><li>• Sore throat</li><li>• Congestion or runny nose</li><li>• Chills</li><li>• Nausea or vomiting</li><li>• Muscle pain</li><li>• Diarrhea</li></ul>

**A student who has close contact with someone with COVID-19 may not attend school in person for up to 14 days.** Close contact is defined as being within 6 feet for 15 minutes or more of someone with COVID-19 starting from 2 days before illness onset.

Parents/guardians of a student who (1) tests positive for COVID-19, (2) has symptoms of COVID-19 or (3) has close contact with someone with COVID-19 shall notify school and keep the student home until the student meets the return to school criteria.

Questions regarding these procedures should be directed to the building administrative team and/or school nurse. Thank you for continuing to create a safe learning environment for our students and staff.