

Guidance Regarding COVID-19 Symptoms/Exposure

Please review the symptoms on the tables below to determine whether your child should attend school each morning. In addition, these symptoms will be assessed if your child reports to the school nurse. If the student has ONE symptom in column A or TWO symptoms in column B they must **stay home or will be sent home** until it is determined they may return to school. These guidelines have been determined by the PA Department of Health and Centers for Disease Control (CDC). Please contact your health care provider regarding specific questions about your child's symptoms. **Students with fever, vomiting or diarrhea should not be sent to school.**

COLUMN A- ONE Symptom	COLUMN B- TWO Symptoms
Cough (New uncontrolled cough that causes difficulty breathing (for students with chronic allergic/asthmatic cough a change in their cough from baseline per CDC guidance)	Fever (measured or subjective). If temperature is 100.4 or higher or if taking fever reducing medication such as Ibuprofen (Advil or Motrin) or Acetaminophen (Tylenol) stay home
Shortness of breath	Chills
Difficulty breathing	Shivering
New loss of smell	Muscle aches
New loss of taste	Sore throat
	Headache (new onset, especially with fever per CDC guidelines 7/28/20)
	Nausea or vomiting
	Diarrhea
	Fatigue
	Congestion or runny nose

Please note: The School Nurses are required to comply with these guidelines. Any child who presents to the Health Room with the above symptoms will be sent home. We are asking parents to be available and have a pick-up plan in place.