

STUDENTS

COVID-19 Daily Screening Form



LINWOOD
PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Below is a screening checklist to use each morning before your child's arrival to school. Parents will be responsible for screening their children at home each morning. This screening form should be completed each day at home. Reminders of this form will be sent to your email address that is on file in our SchoolMessenger system throughout the school year. If your child has symptoms as listed below, please contact your child's main office and school nurse for further information.

Section 1 - Symptoms: Individuals should not attend school when sick. Any of the symptoms listed below could indicate COVID-19 infection and may put you at risk for spreading the illness to others. For school settings, NJDOH recommends that individuals with the following symptoms be promptly isolated from others and excluded from school:

<u>Column A</u> At least two of the following symptoms:	<u>Column B</u> At least one of the following symptoms
<input type="checkbox"/> fever > 100.0 degrees (measured or subjective) <input type="checkbox"/> chills, <input type="checkbox"/> rigors (shivers), <input type="checkbox"/> myalgia (muscle aches), <input type="checkbox"/> headache, <input type="checkbox"/> sore throat, <input type="checkbox"/> nausea or vomiting, <input type="checkbox"/> diarrhea, <input type="checkbox"/> fatigue, <input type="checkbox"/> congestion, <input type="checkbox"/> runny nose	<input type="checkbox"/> cough <input type="checkbox"/> shortness of breath <input type="checkbox"/> difficulty breathing <input type="checkbox"/> new olfactory disorder <input type="checkbox"/> new taste disorder

If **TWO OR MORE** of the fields in **Column A** are checked off,
OR **AT LEAST ONE** of the fields in **Column B** are checked off,

Please stay home and notify your building principal and school nurse immediately for further instructions.

Section 2 - Close Contact/Potential Exposure: Please verify if in the last 14 days:

<input type="checkbox"/>	You have had close contact (within six feet of an infected person for 15 minutes or more during a 24-hour period) with a person with confirmed COVID-19 and you are unvaccinated.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Someone in your household is diagnosed with or being tested for COVID-19 and you are unvaccinated.

If any of the fields in Section 2 are checked off, please contact your school for exclusion timelines. Also, please contact your healthcare provider or the local health department for further guidance. If you have any questions, please contact the school nurse or main office.

Exclusion criteria for persons with COVID-19, COVID-19 compatible symptoms and unvaccinated close contacts¹

	Low Risk	Moderate Risk	High Risk	Very High Risk
COVID-19 positive (viral test), symptomatic or asymptomatic	Exclude according to COVID-19 exclusion criteria Identify and exclude unvaccinated school based close contacts			Further recommendations will be based on additional circumstances and available resources at that time
COVID-19 - compatible symptoms but not tested for COVID-19	If no potential exposure to a COVID-19 case in the last 14 days, individual can follow NJDOH School Exclusion List If person has potential exposure to COVID-19 in the last 14 days, exclude according to COVID-19 exclusion criteria	If no potential exposure to a COVID-19 case in the last 14 days AND an alternative diagnosis from a healthcare provider, follow NJDOH School Exclusion List If no potential exposure to a COVID-19 case in the last 14 days but without an alternative diagnosis from a healthcare provider, exclude according to COVID-19 exclusion criteria	If no potential exposure to a COVID-19 case in the last 14 days AND an alternative diagnosis from a healthcare provider, follow NJDOH School Exclusion List If no potential exposure to a COVID-19 case in the last 14 days but without alternative diagnosis from a healthcare provider, exclude according to COVID-19 exclusion criteria	
COVID-19 - compatible symptoms and negative COVID-19 test (viral test) ²	Follow NJDOH School Exclusion List			
Unvaccinated close contact of staff or student with COVID-19 ^{3,4}	Close contacts who are not fully vaccinated should be excluded for 10 days (in absence of testing) from date of last contact. Close contacts who test negative during the 5 th through 7 th days following date of last contact may return on the 8 th day or thereafter.			

1. In all risk levels, students and staff who are not fully vaccinated and who are household members of a student/staff member with COVID-19 compatible symptoms that meets [COVID-19 Exclusion Criteria](#) should be excluded from school until the symptomatic individual receives a negative test result. If the symptomatic individual tests positive, the household member will need to quarantine.

2. Symptomatic individuals with high likelihood of COVID-19 (for example, who are close contacts of confirmed COVID-19 cases or who have had suspected exposure to a person with COVID-19 AND who are not fully vaccinated AND have not had COVID-19 in the past 3 months) who test negative by rapid antigen test should undergo confirmatory testing with a molecular test (for example RT-PCR)

3. Fully vaccinated persons who have close contact with someone with COVID-19 do NOT need to be excluded from school if they are asymptomatic but should be referred for testing 5-7 days after exposure.

4. Individuals who have been diagnosed with COVID-19 in the past 90 days who have close contact with someone with COVID-19 and are asymptomatic do NOT need to be excluded from school and do not need to be tested.