

**Northside Independent School District
COVID-19 Information for Parents/Guardians March 2024**

What are the symptoms of COVID-19?

- Fever or chills
- Cough
- Shortness of breath/difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Diarrhea
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting

When can my student return to school after being diagnosed with, and/or testing positive for COVID-19?

- As with any illness, students who have been without fever (100.0 F or above) for 24 hours without using fever-reducing medication and have improvement of COVID-19 symptoms (such as a persistent cough), may return to school.
- If symptoms persist, please consult with your child's physician for guidance.

What do I do if my student is at home or is sent home from school with a fever (100.0 degrees or greater) and/or any other COVID-19 symptoms?

- Contact your healthcare provider for guidance.
- Students who have been without fever (100.0 F or above) for 24 hours without using fever-reducing medication and have improvement of symptoms may return to school.