

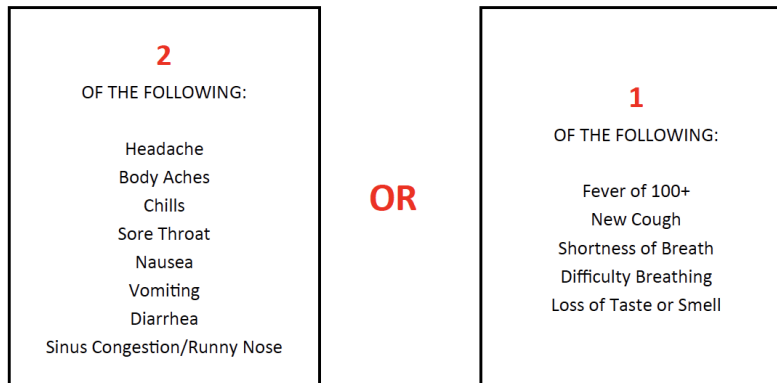
Anamosa Community School District COVID-19 Response 2021-22

Masks will be required on school busses per federal mandate - this includes transportation to/from all events. Students should provide their own masks as our supplies are limited.

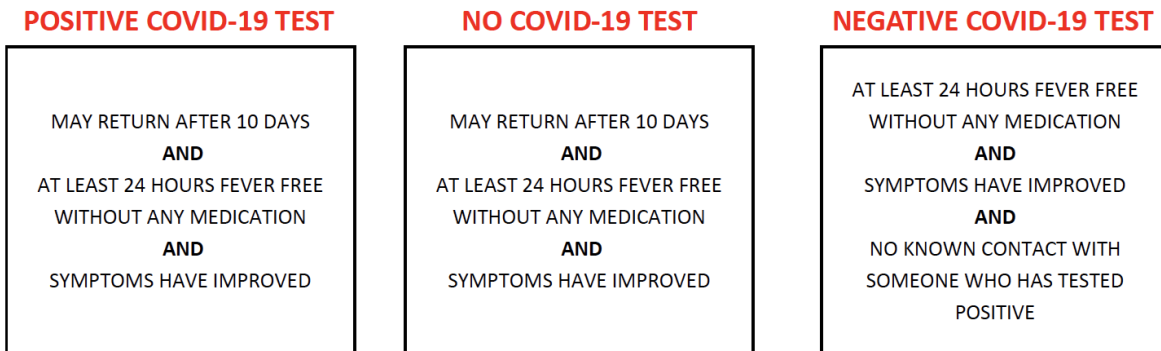
Our staff will continue mitigation strategies through cleaning and frequently sanitizing all buildings and busses.

Individuals who test positive (or are symptomatic) for COVID-19 are required to isolate for 10 days.

COVID-19 SYMPTOMS



When can students/staff return to ACSD? **



**** If you have a positive test, but a note from a doctor your child may return before the 10 days have passed.**

If your child is exposed in the district, notification will be sent via email. Please make sure you have an updated email address in the Infinite Campus portal.

Jones County Public Health strongly recommends household exposure quarantine based on guidelines below.

QUARANTINE OPTIONS AFTER EXPOSURE TO COVID-19

People who are fully vaccinated or who have had lab confirmed COVID-19 within the past 90 days of an exposure do not need to quarantine.

OPTION 1	OPTION 2	OPTION 3
<p>14 DAYS</p> <p>from your LAST exposure to the person who tested positive. You may return to work/ school/ day care on Day 15.</p> <p>CDC still maintains the 14-day quarantine is the gold-standard for reducing the spread of COVID-19</p> <p>No testing required.</p>	<p>10 DAYS</p> <p>from your LAST exposure to the person who tested positive. You may return to work/ school/ day care on Day 11 if no symptoms have been reported during daily monitoring.</p> <p>No testing required.</p> <p><i>With this strategy, residual post-quarantine transmission risk is estimated to be about 1% with an upper limit of about 10%.</i></p>	<p>7 DAYS</p> <p>from your LAST exposure to the person who tested positive. You may return to work/ school/ day care on Day 8 if no symptoms have been reported during daily monitoring</p> <p>AND</p> <p>You have a negative COVID-19 test (Test can be done on Day 5)</p> <p><i>With this strategy, the residual post-quarantine transmission risk is estimated to be about 5% with an upper limit of about 12%.</i></p>
<p>Persons can discontinue quarantine at these time points only if the following criteria are met:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No clinical evidence of COVID-19 has been noted during daily symptom monitoring; and, • Daily symptom monitoring continues through quarantine Day 14; and, • Strict adherence through quarantine Day 14 to all recommended non-pharmaceutical interventions (NPIs*, a.k.a. mitigation strategies). • If any symptoms develop, you should immediately self-isolate and contact the local public health authority and/or your healthcare provider to report this change in clinical status. <p>*NPIs that can be practiced by individuals include the following: correct and consistent mask use, social distancing, hand and cough hygiene, environmental cleaning and disinfection, avoiding crowds, ensuring adequate indoor ventilation, and self-monitoring for symptoms of COVID-19 illness. These are also summarized here.</p>		

Additional information: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/more/scientific-brief-options-to-reduce-quarantine.html>

Positive cases will be updated after 4PM daily on the school website found under COVID Dashboard.

Given a large outbreak in a building or the district, we will consult with public health, the Iowa Department of Education, district staff, and our school board to determine a need to close or move to virtual learning.

We support all staff, students, and visitors in their choice around mask wearing.