



COVID Guidelines at GW School

- ❖ GW focuses on student health, well-being, academic success, and social functioning.
- ❖ Students who test positive for COVID should quarantine at home for five days after they receive a positive test. Students can return to K-12 schools on the sixth day if their symptoms have improved or if they are symptom free without the use of any fever reducing medicine. Students should continue wearing a mask for 5 school days while in school.
- ❖ Students with the following symptoms should stay home from school and get tested for COVID: fever, sore throat, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, fatigue, cough, muscle or body aches, shortness of breath, or difficulty breathing.
- ❖ If a student is exposed to COVID, (regardless of vaccination status) please take the student to get a PCR COVID test 5 days after exposure. Student may return to school while waiting for results as long as they are without symptoms and a mask is worn.
- ❖ Schools and parents should encourage students to frequently wash their hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. Students can be taught to keep washing their hands until they have sung the entire "Happy Birthday" song.
- ❖ When a student tests positive for COVID, focus on relieving your child's symptoms. This might include rest and plenty of fluids.
- ❖ Thank you for all of your efforts and partnership.