Based on information reported to us, your child may be a close contact to an individual who has tested positive for COVID-19.

- Your child does not need to quarantine if he/she remains asymptomatic and does not test positive for COVID.
- Test your child between days 3-5 after exposure.
- Your child should wear a mask for 10 days whenever he/she is near others.

**If your student tests positive for COVID-19 at any time**, you must notify the school of the result and follow the quarantine guidelines below:

If your child tests positive, you should:
- Keep your student home from school and click on “Absence” at the top of your school's website to log your student's positive Covid test.
- Keep your child isolated at home for at least 5 days after the start of symptoms or after the date of the first positive test.
- Isolation can end after Day 5 if symptoms are improving and the student has been fever free for at least 24 hours.
- Your child should wear a mask for 10 days when around others.

Parents are no longer required to submit negative COVID test results in order for students to return to school after their positive case.

**If symptoms develop, STAY HOME and test for COVID immediately.** Continue to monitor for symptoms and follow recommended interventions (distancing, masking, handwashing) for a full 14 days after exposure. Anyone, vaccinated or not, who develops COVID-like symptoms needs to immediately isolate and get tested.

We hope your family stays healthy. For more information, please see [https://www.mvwsd.org/returntolearn](https://www.mvwsd.org/returntolearn).