

Confirmation of COVID-19 Screening and Self-Assessment

The Ministry of Education has instructed Ontario School Boards to complete active screening for all students and staff attending in-person learning in our schools until further notice.

All students and staff are required to conduct daily screening for symptoms of COVID-19 before attending school using the [COVID-19 school and childcare screening tool](#). You can access the COVID-19 school screening tool with the QR Code provided below.

Please do not send your child(ren) to school if they or someone in the household, has one of the common/primary symptoms, two or more of the less common/secondary symptoms, have tested positive on a PCR, Rapid Molecular or Rapid Antigen test, or have not passed the COVID-19 screening tool.



Parent/Guardian Sign Off

If your child received a green check mark and passes the screening tool, then please initial under each date and send this piece of paper to school. Your child's educators will check for your signature daily.

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Symptoms and Self-Isolation

Public Health has updated COVID-19 symptoms and has implemented the following new self-isolation guidelines for students and household members. Visit [Durham Region Public Health](#) for more information. Please note that the screening and guidelines are being updated regularly and the information below was correct at the time this document was created. The information below is for ease of reference only.

For the most updated and comprehensive information please refer to the [Government of Ontario](#) or the [Durham Region Public Health](#) website.

SYMPTOMS

Common/Primary Symptoms	Less Common/Secondary Symptoms
<p>Student has one (1) of these Common/Primary Symptoms of COVID-19:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fever and/or chills • Cough • Shortness of breath • Decrease or loss of taste or smell 	<p>Student has two (2) or more of these less Common/Secondary Symptoms of COVID-19:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Runny or stuffy/congested nose • Sore throat • Headache • Extreme tiredness • Muscle aches/joint pain • Gastrointestinal symptoms (i.e. vomiting or diarrhea)

WHAT TO DO IF YOUR CHILD HAS THESE SYMPTOMS OR HAS TESTED POSITIVE ON A PCR, RAPID MOLECULAR, OR RAPID ANTIGEN TEST

If 12+ AND fully vaccinated, OR is under age 12:	If 12+ and not fully vaccinated (or is immune compromised):
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Self-isolate for 5 days from symptom onset AND until symptoms have been improving for 24 hours (or 48 hours if gastrointestinal symptoms) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Self-isolate for 10 days from symptom onset AND until symptoms have been improving for 24 hours (or 48 hours if gastrointestinal symptoms)

Requirements for Household Members of a symptomatic, presumed or confirmed positive case:

- Notify all those living in your household.
- All household contacts must also self-isolate during the symptomatic/positive household member's isolation period
- Notify the school and employer

Additional Symptoms

If you or your child are experiencing any other symptoms or only one of the less common/secondary symptoms of COVID-19, please self-isolate until symptoms are improving for at least 24 hours (or 48 hours for gastrointestinal symptoms).