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Higher Expectations, Raising Aspirations

What to do if...	Action needed	Back to school
...my child has COVID-19 (coronavirus) symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child shouldn't attend school • Child should get a test • Whole household self-isolates while waiting for test results • Inform school immediately about test results 	...when child's test comes back negative provided they have been fever free for 48 hours before returning to school, and feel well
...my child tests positive for COVID-19 (coronavirus)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child shouldn't attend school • Child self-isolates for at least 10 days from when symptoms started • Inform school immediately about test results • Whole household self-isolates for 14 days from day when symptoms started even if someone tests negative during those 14 days 	<p>...after 10 days, once child feels better and has been fever-free for at least 48 hours</p> <p>Children can return to school after 10 days even if they have a cough or loss of smell/taste as these symptoms can last for several weeks once the infection has gone.</p>
...somebody in my household has COVID-19 (coronavirus) symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child shouldn't attend school • Household member with symptoms should get a test • Whole household self-isolates while waiting for test result • Inform school immediately about test results 	...when household member test is negative, and child does not have COVID-19 symptoms
...somebody in my household has tested positive for COVID-19 (coronavirus)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child shouldn't attend school • Whole household self-isolates for 14 days from day when symptoms started even if someone tests negative during those 14 days 	...when child has completed 14 days of self-isolation, even if they test negative during the 14 days
...the school have called me to say my child has been in close contact with someone who has tested positive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child should not attend school/be immediately collected • Child isolates for 14 days – other members of the household can continue normal activities unless child develops symptoms 	...after 14 days, providing they are well and have no symptoms

Only those with symptoms need to get a test. You can book a free COVID-19 test at <https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test> or call 119.

To inform the school of symptoms or test results, please call 01255 687787 or email admin@cchs.school