

ILLNESS POLICY 2025/2026

Sick students often expose other students and school staff members to illnesses and germs. These illnesses can cause disruption to the school and other families. Students who are displaying any of the following symptoms should be kept home.

Please be advised that if your student comes to school with any of the following they will be sent home.

Fever: A temperature of 100.4 or higher or any fever well on fever-reducing medications. Medications include acetaminophen, ibuprofen.

Vomiting and/or diarrhea: Student has been without vomiting or diarrhea for 24 hours without medication.

Sore Throat: Students should not return until they are able to swallow without difficulty.

Eyes: If eyes are matted in the morning and/or drainage needs to be evaluated and probably 24 hours treatment prior to return.

Undiagnosed Rash: If there are blisters or drainage needs evaluated by a medical provider.

Uncontrolled cold symptoms that interfere with learning or daily activities:
Examples would be persistent cough and/or persistent/active runny nose. Student needs to stay home till symptoms are improving and perform normal activities

Covid-19: Is being treated like other respiratory viral illnesses. Symptoms need to be improving and fever free before returning to work.

Please call the school and speak with the nurse if you have questions or concerns. If unsure please err on the side of caution and keep the child at home, so as not to infect others and cause an outbreak in the school.

In the event that your child becomes sick during the school day, parent(s) will be called. If parent(s) can not be reached, the emergency contact will be called. Student(s) should be picked up within 30 minutes of notification.