

# Screening and isolation steps

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# Determining if student could be infected

Infectious	Not Infectious
Has symptoms	
Virus PCR positive*	Virus PCR negative, No symptoms, AND Antibody positive
	Previously positive for COVID-19, 10 days since start of symptoms and no fevers for 3 days without antipyretics.

\*Prolonged positive PCR test may be detecting dead virus and in those cases, patient may not be infectious. Repeat Virus PCR testing in patient's previously positive is not recommended.

At Home

Screening at home done by parents/guardians  
Symptoms, exposure, +/- temp



Fail screening -  
keep home, notify  
school



Follow return to school/work  
protocols



Pass screening



In Bus

Mask in bus



In School

Screening by school  
Symptoms, exposure, temp



Fail screening



Mask, isolate and send  
home



Follow return to school/work  
protocols



Pass school screening



In classroom:

- Masks should be worn whenever possible in young children, if strict masking cannot be followed, ensure 6 feet distance is maintained
- Frequent hand hygiene
- Disinfection of high touch points and shared equipment such as computers
- Avoid sharing of items like books and toys
- Limit exposure to other students and faculty (cohort classes/teacher)
- Lunch delivered to class

