WHEN CLOSE CONTACTS ARE IDENTIFIED AT SCHOOL

### Cafeterias or indoor rooms (e.g. breakrooms, classrooms)

A close contact is any adult or student who was within 6 feet of a person with COVID-19 infection for 15 minutes or more over a 24-hour period where people were eating and drinking and not wearing masks.

### All-class close contact situations

Examples where all persons in the class would be considered close contacts.

**Cohorts in classrooms that spend the entire day together and interact with others within the cohort (typically younger grade levels).**

**Classrooms that do not have assigned seats and/or students are frequently moving around in class.**

**Cohorts that engage in activities that may increase the risk of transmission while indoors (e.g., eating and drinking, singing, playing brass or woodwind musical instruments).**
QUARANTINE

Quarantine is for people who have been in close contact* with a person who has COVID-19.

See [Home Isolation and Quarantine Guidance](#).

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<td><strong>No symptoms</strong></td>
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<td>If you do not have symptoms, you do not need to quarantine.</td>
<td>Get tested immediately for COVID-19, even if you don’t have symptoms.</td>
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<td>Should get tested 3–5 days after your last contact* with the person with COVID-19, even if you don’t have symptoms.</td>
<td>You must remain at home in quarantine for 10 days after your last contact* with the person with COVID-19, even if you test negative.</td>
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<td>Watch for symptoms for 14 days after your last contact with the person with COVID-19.</td>
<td>If your test is negative, you should get tested again 5–7 days after your last contact with the person with COVID-19.</td>
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**Symptoms**

If you develop symptoms, immediately self-isolate and get tested.

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**Returning**

Students and staff can return to school when both of the conditions are met.

10 days have passed since last close contact with the person with COVID-19.

AND

No symptoms.

*If you have ongoing close contact with a person with COVID-19 because you live in the same house, you must stay home in quarantine for 10 days after the person with COVID-19 is released from isolation.*

**Contacts of close contacts**

People who were not in close contact with the person with COVID-19.

Do not have to quarantine.

Do not have to get tested.