



Dear Wrentham Public School Families,

The nurses would like to take this opportunity to remind all of the current COVID guidelines in place here at the Wrentham Public Schools. With the holidays upon us, we wish for all to remain healthy and present. Thank you for all that you have done so far to maintain our safety protocols for students and staff. Please remember that we as adults are setting the example for our students, so we all must remember to wear our masks at all times and remind ourselves and our students to maintain a safe distance throughout the buildings and school grounds.

The following WPS policies reflect the most recent information provided to the district from the Wrentham Public Health Nurses. In a statement written on December 7, 2020 Wrentham Public Health Nurses wrote “In response to the increase in recent positive COVID 19 cases in our tri-town area, the Public Health nurses overseeing Plainville, Wrentham and Norfolk find it necessary to maintain the 14-day quarantine period for all students and faculty at KPHS and KPMS and all elementary schools in stated towns, who have had an exposure to a confirmed case. Therefore, the test on day 8 for the opt out of quarantine at day 10 no longer applies to students and faculty.”

COVID-19 Daily Symptom Assessment

Students' families must perform a home assessment to identify signs or symptoms of illness before taking the student to the bus stop or to school. Please do not send your child to school with any of the following COVID-19 symptoms:

- Fever of 100 degrees Fahrenheit or higher
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat

- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

Please do not send your student to school with any of the above symptoms and contact your child's primary medical provider and Wrentham Public School Nurses for further guidance.

Student/staff member symptomatic with COVID symptoms will be dismissed and COVID testing advised-may return to school/work with documentation of a negative COVID PCR test and symptom free x 72 hours and consultation with the Wrentham Public School Nurses

Siblings/Children of a symptomatic student/staff member that attend Wrentham Public Schools will also be dismissed and quarantined until student/staff member provides documentation of a negative COVID PCR test and consultation with the Wrentham Public School Nurses

WPS Travel Guidance and Testing

- Click [here](#) to view the most current information about MA COVID Travel Orders
- **All students ages 11 and over who travel to a restricted state must be tested for COVID-19 and produce a negative test result or quarantine x 14 days before returning to school. (Please see #8 of the potential traveler scenarios)**
- **For all students ages 10 or younger, parents must provide the school nurse with their (the parents) negative COVID-19 test results before student may return to school.**
- Families who travel to a restricted state should contact a school nurse to discuss specific details.

Thank You,
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