Sullivan West Central School District

COVID-19 Exposure Notice

Dear Parent/Guardian(s),

This letter is to notify you that your child has been exposed to a case of COVID-19. The District has implemented new COVID-19 procedures to allow for students to stay in school when they have been exposed to COVID-19. Please review the recommendations below for exposed students.

- 1. If your child is symptomatic, they must stay home and isolate for five (5) days. Contact the school nurse if you tested positive.
- 2. When a student is determined to have been exposed to a positive COVID-19 case, the individual shall be tested for COVID-19 at least two times. Once, immediately after being notified of an exposure, and once at five (5) days after the last date of exposure.
- 3. Individuals with lab-confirmed positive COVID-19 results within the past three (3) months do not need to get tested unless they develop symptoms.
- 4. The District will provide individuals with testing kits to take home. Test kits have been sent home with your child. If you have any concerns with testing at home, please contact your school nurse.
- 5. Exposed students may remain in school by appropriately wearing a well-fitted mask for ten (10) days after the date of exposure and testing at least two days within the first five (5) days of exposure. Masks may be removed when eating, drinking, singing, going outside, or playing a wind instrument. When masks are removed for these purposes, physical distancing of 6 feet or more should be maintained, when possible.
- 6. The District shall continue to report all COVID-19 test results including home testing results to the New York State COVID-19 Report Card.
- 7. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's exposure, please contact your school nurse.
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