



Good afternoon,

Our district has been informed that neither the Pennsylvania Department of Education (PDE) nor the Pennsylvania Department of Health (PADOH) will be issuing any additional guidance related to K-12 schools and COVID-19. Both agencies refer to the revised guidance from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC).

The Health & Safety Plan Protocols for the Riverside SD for the 2022 - 2023 SY

No matter what your vaccination status is.....

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- Students and staff who wish to continue masking may do so.
- Daily cleaning and disinfecting will continue through Metz Corp.
- Specialized cleaning or sanitizing may occur as necessary.
- Individuals exposed to COVID-19 do not need to quarantine.
- Household contacts if negative and symptom free do not need to quarantine.
- Individuals experiencing symptoms are recommended to test for COVID-19.
- **Individuals with a confirmed positive test must stay home for 5 days.**
- A positive person may return on day 6 if symptoms have improved and you are 24+ hours fever free.
- It is recommended that positive individuals wear a mask for 10 days after returning.

Any POSITIVE TEST results should be reported to the school nurse.

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Our nurses will report their weekly building totals every Friday to the state before leaving.