

Weimar ISD Return to School

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- **Please Note: The details are subject to change as directives are provided by governing authorities and/or health officials or as environmental conditions change.**
- **Daily check** –parents are to check for COVID symptoms and inform the school when present **Fever is a temperature of 100° Fahrenheit (37.8° Celsius) or higher, without fever reducing medications**
- **Masks** - Not required of students or staff, but tolerance is required for those that choose to mask **Recommended for close contact individuals**
- **Continued safe practice** –hand sanitizations, social distancing (when possible), routine cleaning, and supervision
- **Contact tracing** –not required; there will be no quarantines for close contact. **Parent’s choice on close contact quarantine**
- **Exclusion from school** -any child or adult having or suspected of having COVID-19. **This process is consistent with the procedures followed for any viral symptoms or flu.**
- **Readmission Criteria** - at least 10 days have passed since symptom onset, and fever free*, and other symptoms have *improved* ***If the student is suspected of having COVID(not confirmed to be positive) they may come back prior to the 10 days, with a negative test or a doctors confirmed alternate diagnosis.***
- **Remote instruction** -short term; for students with a positive test or doctor’s note
- **Screening Testing-** Rapid COVID-19 tests will be offered to students who are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19. Students under the age of 18 must have written parent consent.
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TEA requires us to follow the DSHS School Health Recommendations:

Coronavirus disease 2019 commonly referred to as COVID-19 is a disease requiring exclusion from school under 25 Tex. Admin. Code § 97.7.

A school administrator shall exclude from attendance any child having or suspected of having COVID-19. Exclusion shall continue until the readmission criteria for the conditions are met. The readmission criteria for COVID-19 is as follows:

If symptomatic, exclude until at least 10 days have passed since symptom onset, and fever free*, and other symptoms have improved. Children who test positive for COVID-19 but do not have any symptoms must stay home until at least 10 days after the day they were tested.

TEA recognizes the doctor’s alternate diagnosis as sufficient for a return to school prior to 10 days.