



## STAFFORD MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### Parent Notification of Student's Required Leave

To Whom It May Concern:

Based on symptom presentation, your child did not pass the COVID-19 screening, and may not be admitted into any Stafford MSD facilities at this time including this campus.

Your child has two or more symptoms considered to be SMSD's **"Yellow Zone Symptoms"** of COVID-19. These are:

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| 1. Fatigue              | 5. Congestion or runny nose |
| 2. Muscle or body aches | 6. Nausea or vomiting       |
| 3. Headache             | 7. Diarrhea                 |
| 4. Sore throat          | 8. Cough                    |

The protocol for **"Yellow Zone Symptoms"** is to either:

1. Have your child return to school after 10 days and when symptoms improve or
2. Be cleared to return with a doctor's letter dated on Day 5 or later

Siblings of your SMSD student will also need to stay home. Once your child is cleared for return, we will clear their siblings as well assuming they are asymptomatic.

If symptoms do not improve, or if your child develops any **"Red Zone Symptoms"** (a temperature above 100 degrees, new loss of taste or smell, or a new persistent cough/shortness of breath), then they must take a PCR test for COVID-19.

If your child is positive for COVID-19, please notify your campus nurse and Rachel Clark, RN, who handles all COVID-19 positive cases and exposures. Ms. Clark can be reached at 713-505-3676 or [rclark@staffordmsd.org](mailto:rclark@staffordmsd.org).

Upon return to campus, please do not return to class without seeing the nurse. You must be screened and cleared immediately upon your return.

Sincerely,

*SMSD Nursing Staff*