

Student Sick Policy: When to stay at home?

24 HOUR RULE



All students are required to fill out the [daily self screening form](#) and report temperature and any symptoms before arriving on campus each day.

Sick students must stay home until symptom-free with no medication for 24 hours. Students must stay home if they have any of the following [COVID-related symptoms common in teens and children](#): Fever (100.4 or higher), cough, sore throat, headache or body pain, diarrhea, vomiting, or stomach ache. Due to hygienic concerns with masking, it is recommended that students with a runny nose stay home.



Students must stay home if they have any of the following symptoms:



100.4 fever



cough



Stomach ache,
diarrhea or vomiting



sore
throat



Headache or
muscle
aches/body pain

Students with allergies are required to provide documentation to the school nurse.

If a student becomes sick while at school:

- The student will be sent to the office.
- The student will be evaluated by the school nurse.
- If the student has the following COVID-19 related symptoms (i.e. fever of 100.4°+, cough, shortness of breath/ difficulty breathing), the parent will be called to immediately pick up the student and advised to seek testing.
- If the student is presenting other symptoms, the student will be assessed by the school nurse. The school nurse will exercise extra caution in these circumstances and will determine if the student needs to be sent home.

If you have been in contact with someone who tested positive for COVID-19, need to report a positive case, or have any COVID-19 related questions, please email school.nurse@lejardinacademy.org immediately. The school nurse can help to arrange rapid testing and will notify the DOH.

Together, we can substantially reduce the risk of transmission by upholding our community agreements: keeping our social networks tight, staying home when sick, maintaining physical distance and masking in school, and practicing good handwashing hygiene.

To report an absence, please call the attendance hotlines:

- *Junior School: 261-0707 x1150*
- *Lower School: 261-0707 option 0, then option 1*
- *Middle & High School: 261-0707 x7004*

Mahalo for your kōkua.

