

# Idaho Arts Charter School

## COVID 23-24 Procedures

Procedures Effective as of August 1, 2023  
(Reviewed and Updated March 1, 2023)

\*The school will remain open at full capacity with masks optional until further noted from the Executive Director.

| Topic                              | Procedure  |
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| Masks                              | Optional to wear a mask  |
| If Sick (test)                     | <p>Those with symptoms of fever, sore throat, cough, cold symptoms, vomiting, or diarrhea should stay home and test for Covid before returning. Contact administration and nurse if sick for further guidance.</p> <p>*If symptomatic:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● It is recommended to take a rapid test with the school nurse or at home               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. If Covid positive, (go to the row below)</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>Or -----</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>b. If negative, and <u>no known exposure</u>:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. The student or teacher can remain in school and should wear a mask</li> <li>ii. Test with a rapid antigen test.</li> <li>iii. If still symptomatic after 48 hours, repeat the rapid test</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| If Covid +                         | <p>Staff should alert the administrator and nurse immediately. Students should alert the nurse.</p> <p>Updated Guidance: The updated Respiratory Virus Guidance recommends that people stay home and away from others until at least 24 hours after both their symptoms are getting better overall, and they have not had a fever (and are not using fever-reducing medication).</p>   |
| If Exposed                         | <p>If you are classified as a close contact (within 6ft for a cumulative 15 min or more within 24 hours period without consistent and correct mask wearing by both parties) for any reason the following applies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Continue coming to work/school, wear a mask, and monitor symptoms daily for 10 days. The CDC recommends testing.</li> <li>● If you develop symptoms, follow the guidance for Covid + and alert the nurse/building administrator</li> </ul>  |
| If Quarantined for a Positive Test | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Counselors and teachers will work with students to arrange makeup work when possible.</li> </ul>  |