Please note the CFC communicates important updates through email. Emails may arrive in the evening, early morning, and/or on the weekend. It is strongly recommended that parents check their email for CFC updates before leaving for school in the morning.

All policies are subject to change at any time.

**REPORTING COVID-19 RELATED INFORMATION:**
- All families are required to promptly report the following incidences to the school nurse and to the Director:
  - A positive test for their child or household member
  - COVID-19-like symptoms

**EXAMPLES OF COVID-19 LIKE SYMPTOMS:**
- Fever (100.4 F or greater)
- Cough
- Sore throat
- New onset congestion
- GI upset, including vomiting and diarrhea
- Headache
- Significant fatigue or behavior changes

Children who experience the above symptoms or other signs of illness are required to stay home until 24 hours after symptoms resolve or improve. Children who are sent to school before symptom resolution may be required to return home.

**COVID TESTING:**
- Children test weekly via PCR testing on Thursdays. All children and staff participate in weekly testing, regardless of recent COVID-19 infection
- It is recommended to collect your child’s saliva the morning of the testing day

**EXPOSURES:**
- Asymptomatic children who have in-school COVID-19 exposures are not required to quarantine but are required to PCR test on day 3 and 5 post exposure (or next available testing day)
- Children with continuous COVID-19 exposure from a household contact are required to quarantine for 5 days and PCR test between day 3-5 to return on day 6
- Children who are quarantining or home sick will not usually be offered remote CFC programming as we are staffed to provide for in person services, not remote support
CFC COVID-19 POLICIES

- **POSITIVE TEST:**
  - Children with a positive test will stay home for a 5-day minimum isolation. Children who are asymptomatic may be able to return after day 6 if cleared by the school nurse or a CFC administrator. In this case, your child may be asked to submit additional testing.
  - Day 0 is the day of the first positive test or the day of onset of symptoms
  - All children will continue weekly testing once back in school

- **INTERNATIONAL AND DOMESTIC TRAVEL**
  - Domestic and international travel
    - No quarantine necessary upon return
    - Must submit a PCR on day 3-5 post arrival
    - Must be asymptomatic

- **MASKS:**
  - Children 2 and older and adults continue to wear masks while indoors unless eating, drinking, or resting, or in single occupancy offices

- **VACCINATIONS:**
  - CDC and Rockefeller University’s OHS department strongly recommends the COVID-19 vaccine for all children
  - Available vaccines for children aged 6 months and older: Pfizer and Moderna
    - Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine (Spikevax):
      - 2 dose primary series given
        - Doses 1 and 2 given 4-8 weeks apart
    - Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine (COMIRNATY)
      - 3 dose primary series
        - Doses 1 and 2 are given 3-8 weeks apart
        - Doses 2 and 3 are given at least 8 weeks apart
  - Your child is considered fully vaccinated 2 weeks after the final dose of their primary series.

- **COMMUNICATIONS:**
  - The CFC is not required to inform parents of in-school COVID exposure. Still, we will try to inform parents about COVID in their child’s classroom in a timely manner. In addition, we will try to send a general CFC weekly update noting COVID cases at the CFC.

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