

COVID 19

District Protocols

**ALL KIBSD
STAFF &
STUDENTS**

The Kodiak Island Borough School District has developed this plan based on information from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Alaska Department of Health and Social Services, our local Medical Advisory Committee, and by closely monitoring the level of contagion in our community. This plan is subject to change at any time. KIBSD will notify the community of any updates or changes.

MASK USAGE

Masks mandatory for staff and students in the school building

Masks mandatory for all students on buses

* Individual mask plans may be developed through a student's IEP process

ASYMPTOMATIC TESTING

VACCINATED INDIVIDUALS

Scheduled asymptomatic screening testing is NOT recommended at this time.

UNVACCINATED INDIVIDUALS

Asymptomatic testing is recommended. Please consider participating in KIBSD's asymptomatic screening testing program

Proof of negative test required prior to travel for KIBSD extracurricular activities (KIBSD will coordinate asymptomatic testing prior to departure.)

CLOSE CONTACT QUARANTINE

VACCINATED INDIVIDUALS

Do NOT need to quarantine if exposed to someone who has COVID-19. Test 3-5 days after your exposure, even if you don't have symptoms. You should also wear a mask indoors in public for 14 days following exposure or until your test result is negative.

UNVACCINATED INDIVIDUALS

OPTION 1: 7-day Quarantine + COVID-19 Negative Test (on day 6 or later) + No Symptoms= Return Day 8

OPTION 2: 10-day Quarantine + No Symptoms= Return Day 11

Additional Requirements for all Close Contacts: If you develop symptoms within 14 days of an exposure (regardless of whether or not you remain in quarantine) you should immediately self-isolate and seek testing. If symptoms develop anytime during quarantine, you need to provide proof of a negative test dated after onset of symptoms, report improvement in symptoms, and report you have been fever free for 24 hours to be cleared from quarantine.

POSITIVE COVID-19 TEST ISOLATION

VACCINATED INDIVIDUALS & UNVACCINATED INDIVIDUALS

Quarantine for 10 days after symptom onset

Return to work/ school on the 11th day after at least 24 hours without fever reducing medicine, and other symptoms are improved

All individuals experiencing COVID 19 symptoms should schedule a test with a local healthcare provider, and return to work/ school only after receiving a negative test result – or – completing quarantine if they have received a positive test result.

Rural schools will develop COVID 19 mitigation procedures in conjunction with their community leaders.

If you have questions, please call 907 486 7586.

TRAVEL

VACCINATED INDIVIDUALS

No testing required at this time as long as individual remains asymptomatic

No quarantine required at this time

UNVACCINATED INDIVIDUALS

In-State Travel

No testing required at this time as long as individual remains asymptomatic

No quarantine required at this time.

Out of State/Country Travel

Strongly recommended testing up to 48 hours prior to returning to Kodiak or anytime after arrival. If a traveler cannot arrange a test at the airport or at a local clinic, please contact your school nurse for assistance.

If pre travel/ arrival test is negative, individual may return to work/ school, but must wear a mask and strictly monitor for symptoms for 5 days.

Follow-up second negative test is strongly recommended five days after return.

Have you received a positive COVID 19 test within 90 days?

The positive test result exempts you from testing or quarantine related to travel or being a close contact.

All staff and students will strive to maintain three feet of physical distance at a minimum.

