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CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

September 7, 2021

Dear Parents,

There have been several questions related to COVID protocols regarding quarantine and close contacts. Below, you will find a clarification of the policies. As always, if you have questions, please contact your school principal.

With warm regards,



John Stelzer, president

Quarantine

- When there is a positive case within your student's classroom, parents will be notified by the respective school administrator.
- Close contact is defined as being within 6 feet for a total of 15 minutes or more within 2 days prior to illness onset, regardless of whether the contact was wearing a mask.
- Those students who are considered to be in close contact with someone who tests positive with COVID 19 whether at school or at home, the student can return to school only if:
 1. The student(s) is fully vaccinated and can provide proof of vaccination, or
 2. The student has had COVID within the last 90 calendar days and can provide proof, or
 3. The student has tested negative 5-7 days from exposure using a polymerase chain reaction (PCR) test or a confirmed antigen rapid test.
We will not accept at-home COVID-19 test results.
- Parents/families must comply with the quarantine directives given by the Manitowoc Health Department.
- COVID symptomatic individuals need to quarantine for 10 days, regardless of vaccination status.
- Virtual instruction will still be available for those students affected by COVID 19. Contact building administrator to make arrangements.