



# Delaware Military Academy

## 2019 National Blue Ribbon School



### COVID Policy for 2023-2024 School Year

#### Students/Staff COVID Positive Isolation/return to work or school:

**Asymptomatic- (NO symptoms) NOT required** to isolate. May return to work/school, but **MUST wear a well-fitted mask for a full 10-days from COVID positive date.**

**Symptomatic- MUST** isolate and stay home from work/school until fever-free for 24 hours without fever-reducing medications AND have symptom improvement. Once you return to work/school, you **MUST wear a well-fitted mask for the remainder of the 10-days from the start of your symptoms.** Symptom start date is day 0. (Example: If you return to work/school on day 3 from the date your symptoms started after being fever-free for 24 hours, you must wear a mask while at work/school from day 3 through day 10 from the date your symptoms started)

Parents must email Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Dolan regarding positive COVID test with the symptom start date and test date. Cadets should email their teachers and check Schoology for work they will miss to stay as up to date as possible.

#### Close Contacts:

A close contact will only be considered a person who lives within the same household as a COVID positive person. School Nurses will not be conducting contact tracing within the school for any positive COVID cases.

- NO QUARANTINE is required!
- Recommended that close contacts wear a well-fitted mask for a full 10 days from last exposure. (Day 0 is the date of exposure)
- Recommended that you test after a known exposure if symptoms develop. (Most likely to develop symptoms during the 10-days following COVID exposure)
- If you have had a known COVID exposure and develop COVID symptoms, please complete a COVID test. **MUST** isolate and stay home from work/school until fever-free for 24 hours without fever-reducing medications and then **MUST wear a well fitted mask for the remainder of the 10-days from the start of your symptoms.**

If you have any questions, please contact Paige Dolan at [paige.dolan@dma.k12.de.us](mailto:paige.dolan@dma.k12.de.us) or call DMA.

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