



Redwood Christian Schools Procedures Regarding Exposure and/or Confirmed Case

RCS will follow the criteria from the California Department of Public Health (as found on page 3) in [COVID-19 and Reopening In-Person Learning Framework for K-12 Schools in California, 2020-2021 School Year](#):

1. If a student or employee has COVID-19 Symptoms the following actions are to be taken:

- DO NOT COME TO SCHOOL or if symptoms develop while at school, the student or employee WILL BE SENT HOME IMMEDIATELY.
 - Testing is recommended.
 - If the test is positive or no test is taken see #3.
 - If the test is negative see #4.
 - A doctor's note confirming symptoms are from another condition other than COVID-19 (i.e. allergies, common cold, etc.) can be provided for student/employee to return to campus.
 - RCS will remain open.

2. If a student or employee has had close contact (defined as living in the same house, being an intimate partner, being a caregiver, or being within 6 feet of an individual for longer than 15 minutes) with a confirmed COVID-19 case the following actions are to be taken:

- DO NOT COME TO SCHOOL or if symptoms develop while at school, the student or employee WILL BE SENT HOME IMMEDIATELY
 - The student and employee will be excluded from school for 14 days from last exposure
 - Testing is recommended (but will not shorten 14-day quarantine)
- RCS will remain open

3. If a student or staff has a confirmed COVID-19 case infection the following actions are to be taken:

- DO NOT COME TO SCHOOL
 - The student or employee will be excluded from school for 10 days from symptom onset or test date
 - Testing is recommended (but will not shorten 14-day quarantine)
 - Notify the Alameda County Public Health Department (510) 267-3250.
 - Notify RCS
 - RCS will begin contact tracing
 - RCS will notify and work with the Alameda County Health Department.
 - Close contacts (i.e. the entire cohort) will be identified, excluded from school, and quarantined, for 14 days after the last date the case was present at school while infectious
 - RCS will disinfect and clean the classroom and primary spaces where case spent significant time according to CDC guidelines
 - RCS will remain open

4. If a student or staff tests negative after symptoms RCS will take the following Actions:

- May return to school after 3 days from when symptoms resolve.
- School/classroom remains open.

Alameda County maintains [a list of where COVID-19 testing is available](#).