

West Buffalo Charter School Return to School Policy

West Buffalo Charter School will follow CDC and DoH guidelines on when a student or staff member may return to school/work after exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19. You may return when **ALL** criteria have been met:

If Negative for COVID-19, you may return with:

1. A written note from a healthcare provider with an alternate medical diagnosis and clearance to return to school
OR
2. A negative COVID-19 test (**antibody or at-home tests are not accepted**)
OR
3. It has been at least 5 days since COVID symptoms began
AND
4. Be fever free for 24 hours without fever reducing medication
5. Be feeling well for 24 hours

If Positive for COVID-19, you may return:

1. If At least 5 days of isolation have passed with day 0 being the first day or symptoms or date of positive COVID-19 test if asymptomatic
2. If fever-free for 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medication
3. If feeling well and improvement of symptoms
4. When a Health Care Provider gives clearance to return to PE/physical activity