

Due to our current circumstances, an addendum is required to be signed by the caregivers of each student to ensure that we have compliance with updated COVID-19 protocols to help keep The Country Schoolhouse Family safe.

### Symptoms

- Parents/Guardians should be sure that students answer “NO” to the following questions regarding symptoms prior to coming to the Schoolhouse for any activities:
  - Fever of 100.4 or higher during the past 72 hours?
  - New or worsening cough, runny nose, or congestion?
  - Difficulty breathing?
  - Muscle pain?
  - Tiredness?
  - Sore throat?
  - Fatigue?
  - Nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea?
  - Loss of taste or smell?

### Face coverings

- We will follow all current state mandates and executive orders regarding masks in businesses.
- The Executive Order currently in place states children ages 6 and up must wear a mask while indoors. There are exceptions to this mandate. If you think your child may fall within one of the specified exceptions, please see Executive Order 1516 for specific details. (A PDF version of the most current order can be found on our website on the FORMS page)

### COVID-19 Testing/Exposure

- Parents/Guardians should inform The Country Schoolhouse if a student tests positive for Covid-19. These results will be kept confidential. This will allow us to notify other students and teachers to quarantine if necessary, as well as determine when a student should return to school.

**Students should not come to any Country Schoolhouse activities if they have a COVID-19 test result pending.**

- Please notify The Country Schoolhouse if your student has been exposed to COVID-19 and quarantine them at home. Examples of close contacts may include but are not limited to siblings, parents, grandparents, and friends.
- Please remember your student can be “exposed” to Covid-19 at places other than school. A student is considered “exposed” if they are in close contact with a Covid-19 positive person, which is defined as being within 6 feet for greater than 15 minutes, or if they have direct contact with respiratory droplets from someone infected with Covid-19.

### When to Return to Activities

- If a student has a **fever of 100.4 F or higher, vomiting, or diarrhea** they may return to school when they are symptom free for 72 hours without the use of medications.
- If a student is quarantined because they have been **exposed to COVID-19**, they may return to school after 14 days from the date of their exposure, **even if your child tests negative**. If your student tests positive for COVID-19 during quarantine for exposure, please follow the instructions in the following bullet point.
- If a student is quarantined because they **tested positive for COVID-19**, they may return to school after 14 days from the date of onset of symptoms if symptomatic, or after 14 days from the date of the positive test if asymptomatic.

**Please note that these recommendations may change at any time due to the novelty of COVID-19.**

By signing below, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and acknowledge the risk that my child, myself, or my family may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by participating in School program(s) and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by participating in School program(s) may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, School employees and students and their families. My decision to continue using the School program(s) is exclusively my own and made in full understanding and acceptance of the foregoing risks to myself, my child, and my family. By signing below, I assume all risks related to my child and COVID-19 and agree to waive and hold harmless MRA from any liability there on.

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Name of Guardian (Print)

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Guardian Signature

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Date

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Student Name (Print)

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