

ONSTED COMMUNITY SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION



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Good afternoon-

Due to a recent update from the Lenawee County Health Department, Onsted Community Schools is now able to offer an alternative Test to Stay (TTS) quarantine option for students.

Alternate School Quarantine Option: Test to Stay (TTS)

<u>Who is Eligible:</u> Any Onsted student who was determined to be a close contact with exposure occurring at school and is quarantined by the health department. This option allows students to stay in school and participate in sports and extracurricular activities, as long as they conduct daily symptom checks and daily COVID tests on days 1-7 following exposure.

Results from home test kits will not be accepted.

<u>Eligibility Requirements:</u> The exposed individual is a student, has no symptoms and exposure occurred at school. Parent/guardian signature approving to test.

Parent and student agree to:

- 1. Daily testing on days 1-7 following exposure*.
- 2. Results from home test kits will not be accepted.
- 3. After the first test is completed and negative, the student can ride the bus, attend school and participate in sports and extracurricular activities **while wearing a mask**.
- 4. Daily symptom checks on days 1-7.
- 5. Wear a mask at all times while on the bus, in school, and while participating in sports and extracurricular activities for ten (10) days after exposure.
- 6. Monitor for symptoms through day 14. Isolate at home immediately if symptoms develop.

*If the 7th day falls on a non-school day, the student must be tested the next school day, before returning.

If you are interested in choosing the Alternate School Quarantine Option: Test to Stay (TTS) please set up an appointment for your initial test with Mrs. Springer at: OCS Test to Stay Sign Up Genius
The Sign Up Genius link will also be on our website under the "COVID-19 Resources and Links" tab.

All initial testing appointments will take place at the back of the Board of Education Office (near the bus garage). Follow-up testing for middle school and high school students will take place there, as well. Follow-up testing for elementary students will take place in the elementary building.