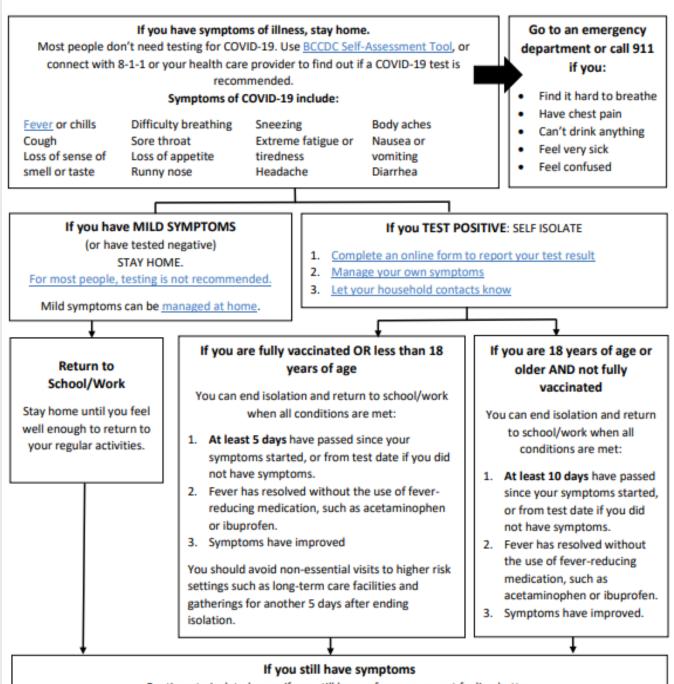
Communicable Diseases Prevention Plan for Parkside Secondary School April 4, 2022

- ✓ All students and staff will continue to do a daily health check before coming to school. If you are sick, then you cannot travel on the school bus / enter the school.
- ✓ The decision to wear a mask is a personal choice for staff, students, and visitors. This choice will be supported and respected. Non-medical face masks will be available in the main office for anyone who wants to wear a face mask.
- ✓ All students and staff will complete a daily health check before coming to school.
- ✓ All staff will affirm the successful completion of a daily health check by signing a document in the main office before proceeding to their classroom.
- ✓ Students and staff will continue to practice respiratory etiquette by coughing/sneezing into their elbow, sleeve or a tissue.
- ✓ All students and staff will continue with washing their hands upon entering the school, before/after eating, before going on a school bus, and after using the washroom.
- ✓ Eating and/or drinking are only permitted in classrooms at an individual's desk behind the desk shield.
- ✓ Lunch will continue to be served to one class at a time to avoid hallway congestion.
 Students will eat their lunch in their classroom / pod seated behind a desk shield.
- ✓ Desk shields are in the staff room for eating or drinking during break and/or lunch.
- ✓ All students will continue working in their respective classroom / pod or in the Chill Room. Students are not permitted to work in the hallways or enter other classrooms during instructional time.
- ✓ PE programs will encourage outdoor activities as much as possible and spread out students within available space. Shared PE equipment will be cleaned before being used again.

Summary: What To Do When Sick



Continue to isolate longer if you still have a fever or are not feeling better. If you are unsure or concerned connect with your health care provider or call 8-1-1.

What to do if someone is sick in your household:

You can continue to attend school if someone in your household is sick and/or self-isolating as long as you do not have any symptoms of illness and feel well. This includes if they have tested positive for COVID-19. Ensure you closely monitor yourself (or your child) for symptoms of illness and stay home if you feel unwell. The best way to protect yourself and your family from COVID-19 is to get vaccinated. Vaccines are available for anyone ages 5 and up. Register now at: <u>Getvaccinated.gov.bc.ca</u>