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As you know, we require students, staff and visitors to inform us of any COVID-19 symptoms or exposures each day before they enter any district facilities. We call this process a daily attestation. Currently, we ask parents of students who attend in-person schooling complete this attestation daily with their students. The attestation is a check to see if your student has been exposed to a confirmed COVID-19 case or is expressing any of the symptoms related to COVID. We covered attestations a little in our hybrid intro video. The symptoms the attestations asks about are:

- A fever of 100.0°F or higher, or a sense of having a fever
- A cough
- Recent loss of taste or smell
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Unusual fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- A sore throat
- Congestion/runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

The District collects the attestations electronically through daily emails or text messages. Here’s how that process works:

- Each day at 4:30 a.m., the District will send an email to parent email addresses associated with your student in Skyward. It will instruct you to fill out a daily symptom check for your student and will include a link.
- The link will take you to a page asking several questions. It will ask whether you plan for your student to attend school in-person that day, whether they are experiencing any COVID-19 symptoms, and whether they have been exposed to anyone with COVID-19.
- After you have completed the questions, the system will tell you whether your student is certified to come to school that day.
- The initial email will give you the option to enter your cell phone number and/or your students if you would like to receive the link to complete the health attestation by text message each day. If you choose this option, you will receive a text message at about 6:30 a.m. daily. Each daily email will include the option to opt in to receiving text messages if you ever change your mind about receiving the attestations via text.
- Opting for full remote? We will send out info about how to opt out of receiving daily emails before our April 15th start date

Please complete this process each day before taking your child to school or before they board the bus or drive themselves to school. If you have not completed the attestation process by 8 a.m., the system will send a follow-up email (this mostly applies to students who are part time running start or have a senior waiver that forget to do it before their first period on campus). This process only needs to be completed once each day for each student. If you have completed the process and then receive a second email that same day, you may disregard it.

Our system will send emails and/or text messages to Parent Guardian 1/Family 1. That parent/guardian may need to complete the attestation with the student on the phone if the student is with another family member, or that Parent Guardian 1/Family 1 may forward the link to the Parent Guardian 1 of Family 2 if the student is residing with them that day. Alternatively, you may enter your student’s cell phone number so that the student receives the attestation questions.

If you receive the health check emails or texts and should not receive them, please contact Lori Benedict at BenedictL@issaquah.wendet.edu. If you make a mistake while completing the process, please finish the survey and then contact your school at 425-837-6010 as you would normally report an absence and school staff will help you correct it.

-Issaquah High Admin Team