

Questions and answers on the handling of COVID-19 at the ESF

Topic	Answer
Pupil tested positive	<p>Please immediately inform the respective Deputy Director . The ESF procedure will then start.</p> <p>Please refrain from sending e-mails on suspected cases of other families!</p>
How to inform the school?	<p>Please send an e-mail to Secondary School: Minna.Laatu@eursc.eu; Eirini.Pantazi@eursc.eu Nursery/Primary School: Anastazija.Avsec@eursc.eu; Lara.Wheelock@eursc.eu Administration: Marion.Kazda@eursc.eu Cc: Ferdinand.Patscheider@eursc.eu, Martina.von-Janowski@eursc.eu</p> <p>Subject line: Please write pupil name and class and mention Covid-19 positive. Please update the subject line for further communication.</p>
Siblings of pupil tested positive	Have to go into quarantine for 14 days, please inform class teacher/pedagogical advisor of absence
A family member of the same household is tested positive	<p>The whole family has to go into quarantine in accordance with the instructions published under the following link:</p> <p>https://soziales.hessen.de/gesundheit/corona-hessen/regelungen-zur-anordnung-der-quarantaene</p>
Returning from risk area	<p>Teachers/pupils need to be tested negative. Instructions are regularly updated under the following link:</p> <p>https://soziales.hessen.de/gesundheit/corona-hessen/quarantaenebestimmungen-und-coronatests-fuer-einreisende</p>
Pupil in contact with a positive tested person	Please contact your family doctor, or participate in a row testing, if organized at the ESF.
Siblings of a pupil in contact with a positive tested person (indirect contact)	Have to stay at home until the pupil who had contact is tested negative or can return earlier if tested negative themselves.
Absence – who to inform?	Please inform respective Deputy Director, class teacher or pedagogical advisor as you usual do in case of an absence.
Parents are in quarantine because returning from risk area and waiting for test result	Pupils quarantine as well until parents receive a negative test result.
Siblings of a pupil whose class is in quarantine	The siblings are also in quarantine until the class can return.
Siblings who are at a school/day care outside the ESF and all had to go into quarantine	The children at our school must then also go into quarantine until the quarantine of the siblings is removed.

	This is also the procedure when all children are at our school.
Re-entry to school after quarantine due to positive test results	If a positive test is received, the Health Department contacts the person / family concerned directly. This contact person is the so-called index consultant, who informs about the duration of the quarantine and also suspends it. The person/family receives a letter or a telephone call directly from the Health Department. The school is not involved in this process.
Re-entry to the ESF after after absence due to an illness or quarantine	At the end of the 14-day quarantine if a family member is infected (see annex 4) or if the infected person has overcome his own illness, at the earliest 10 days after the outbreak of symptoms, receipt of the positive test result and at least 48 h without fever (see annex 2 of the hygiene plan).
Certificate of re-entry after an absence due to illness or quarantine	In case of absence due to illness or quarantine, the certificate must be filled in and signed and handed in to the health service / nurses before the beginning of the lessons.
Information on the Corona Warning App	If you have any questions regarding the Corona Warning App or if you have "red messages", please contact either your family doctor or the public health department at 212-77400.
Antigen Self Testing (pupils)	Pupils carry out the test independently according to the information provided by the school, which is sent out separately for each school cycle. In case of a positive test result, a PCR test must be arranged immediately by the family (see Annex 3 to the Hygiene Plan).
Antigen Self Testing (staff)	Teachers/administrative staff take a test twice a week before working / teaching time. In case of a positive test result, a PCR test must be carried out immediately (see Annex 3 to the Hygiene Plan).
The following persons are exempted from the obligation to perform a negative antigen self-test every 72 hours or to submit a negative test result for the remaining weeks of this school year:	<p>Vaccinated asymptomatic persons in possession of a vaccination certificate, valid 14 days after the last required single vaccination.</p> <p>Persons who have recovered with one vaccine dose given.</p> <p>Persons who have recovered with evidence of a previous infection with the Corona SARS-CoV-2 virus – valid 28 days to 6 months after the infection.</p>