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Hello Woodlands Families,

COVID-19 Testing Coming to Woodlands

At this time, the Woodlands Board of Trustees have approved Woodlands offering an OPTION for diagnostic testing for students and staff. The COVID-19 testing will be an OPTION provided for all staff and students. Families will have the option to sign an agreement to have their student tested. **Families that do not wish to have their student tested will NOT be required to agree to testing and their student will not be tested.**

[Link to Register Students for diagnostic COVID-19 \(SARS-CoV2\) Testing at School](#)

Bluemound families please use org code 5510 when filling out the registration form
State Street families, please use org code 3121 when filling out the registration form

Additional information is available below:

- The testing company, Novir, will provide one or two staff per campus every day, (at the same time frame) for 1-1.5 hours to provide diagnosing testing onsite at each school.
 - **Bluemound** testing times Mon-Fri (every day) 9-10:30am
 - **State Street** testing times Mon-Fri (every day) 10:30am-12pm
- Parents and staff must complete the online registration form (link above) to allow the company to give their child(ren) COVID testing at school during the day.
- If staff feel that a student would benefit from testing during the school day, the parent will be contacted to gain consent (the online registration form must be completed prior to the testing)
- On any day, parents can send a written note to the school to ask that their child be tested. If we have a completed consent form, the child will be tested.
- The test is a nasal swab that goes into each nostril $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{3}{8}$ inch.
- Parents will not be allowed to be present for the testing.
- The test results will be available in 10-15 minutes.
- **Please do not send students exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19 to school to be tested. Keep those students at home and seek outside testing if needed.**

The CDC recommends that schools provide frequent SARS-CoV2 screening testing programs for students, teachers and staff as a method of the layered prevention for COVID-19.

Please reach out to your principal if you have additional questions.

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