

Procedure for parents and guardians of secondary school students

When does your child have to stay at home?

When at least one of the symptoms marked in red is present.

Symptoms of a known chronic illness are not important in the assessment.

Symptoms of illness and colds in pupils

Symptom	Action	Action
Cold without fever	Your child can attend school	
Fever Cough, sore throat if not caused by chronic diseases, e.g. asthma disturbance of the sense of taste or smell (without a cold)	Contact your child's doctor. Your doctor will decide if you should have a test for Covid-19 or if your child is ready for school.	Either your child returns to school or they stay at home. Please inform the school.
	The doctor decides no test	Is your child symptom-free for at least 24 hours? Then they may go to school.
	The doctor decides on a test	No school attendance between taking the test and notification of the test result!
	The test result is negative	Is your child symptom-free for at least 24 hours? Then they may go to school.
	The test result is positive	Further steps according to the instructions of the cantonal doctor. The child remains at home until the cantonal doctor decides that school attendance is possible.