



**COVID-19 Weekly Status Report
November 19, 2021 at 2:00 pm – December 3, 2021 at 12:30 pm**

The Clinch County School System continues to consult with the Georgia Department of Public Health and its Contact Tracing program as well as local medical professionals regarding known COVID cases and exposures. Impacted students and personnel are reported to DPH. Students and staff members who are fully vaccinated do not have to quarantine if they are close contacts, per CDC guidance.

After consulting with local health professionals and following current DPH flexibility, students will not be required to quarantine if they are close contacts of someone at school as long as they remain asymptomatic and monitor for symptoms. If students have been exposed to another student or staff member who has tested positive, parents will be notified by letter. If a student lives in the home with someone who has tested positive for COVID, they will be required to follow quarantine procedures. We will continue to monitor our data and update our practices as circumstances change.

Each weekly update includes new cases reported and quarantines started during that time period. It is not a cumulative report. While we are unable to disclose any identifying information, should you have questions or concerns please do not hesitate to reach out to us. The number to the BOE is 912-487-5321. You can also reach us via email at clinchpr@clinchcounty.com.

Let's all work together to help slow the spread of COVID-19 in Clinch County! Children who have a fever or are displaying symptoms of COVID-19 should stay home. Encourage students to wash their hands frequently and consider talking to your doctor about vaccination options.

Remember the three "Ws" to reduce the risk of COVID-19

Wash Your Hands, Watch Your Distance, Wear a Mask/Shield

1269	Student Enrollment
0	Students Reporting Positive Results*
0	Students Assigned to Quarantine due to Close Contact School Exposure
201	Total Staff
0	Staff Reporting Positive Results*
0	Staff Assigned to Quarantine due to Close Contact School Exposure

*all students and staff who are positive are also in quarantine according to CDC guidance.