



### *Fall 2022 Covid-19 Protocols*

Greetings! Raintree has been awarded another grant from KDHE to continue our COVID-19 mitigation strategies at school. It is the belief that school-based testing helps prevent the transmission of the COVID-19 virus and allows for both students and staff to remain in school for in-person learning. Though many have had Covid-29 and experienced mild to no symptoms, that is not true for everyone. We are still working hard to keep the campus COVID-19 free and with your help and cooperation, we should have a very successful year.

One way to help is by performing a screening test before sending your child to school on their first day of school. Screening tests help identify possible positive cases in people who are asymptomatic and do not have a known exposure. Screening tests can help lower the chances of a class going into quarantine the first couple of weeks of school.

#### Expectations for Parents:

- Regularly monitor your children for symptoms of COVID-19.
- If your child is symptomatic, have them tested with a diagnostic test. If they test negative with an antigen test, keep them home and retest in 24-48 hours to be sure.
- Do not send your child to school if they are sick or if they test positive.
- Notify the Health Communication Office at Raintree (785-813-9227) if your child tests positive.
- If your child is exposed to COVID-19 outside of school, notify the Health Communication Office at Raintree (785-813-9227).
- Do not send your child to school if someone in the home is sick and waiting for COVID-19 results.
- Notify the Health Communication Office at Raintree (785-813-9227) if someone in your home tests positive for COVID-19.

#### Expectations for Raintree:

- We will notify you if your child's class has had an exposure at school.
- KN95 masks will be supplied if a class goes into quarantine.
- A timeline indicating when your child may return to school (if in isolation or quarantine) will be sent home.
- Staff will remain home if sick or waiting for COVID-19 test results.
- Staff will remain home if someone in their home is waiting for COVID-19 test results.
- Raintree staff and visiting specialists will screen test upon their first day of work each week.