Returning to School
All communications should be sent to health@hawken.edu.

Anyone who has been sent home from school after exhibiting one or more symptoms related to COVID-19 may return based on the following terms:

Positive COVID-19 with symptoms
If anyone tests positive in a diagnostic COVID-19 test or is presumed to have the illness by a healthcare professional (a confirmed or probable case) and was symptomatic, he/she may return to school only after all of the following conditions have been met:

At least 3 days have passed since recovery
• Fever-free without the use of fever-reducing medications and
• Improvement in symptoms and
• At least 10 days have passed since symptoms first appeared and
• Ages 12 and over must have the Hawken Return to Activity form completed.

Positive COVID-19, no symptoms
If anyone tests positive in a diagnostic COVID-19 test or is presumed to have the illness but does not get symptoms, they should stay home until:

• At least 10 days have passed since the positive result in the diagnostic test (assuming no symptoms appeared during that time) and
• Ages 12 and over must have the Hawken Return to Activity form completed.

Quarantined for contact, no symptoms
Anyone who has been quarantined at home for 10 days because of confirmed exposure (defined as another household member OR within six feet for at least 15 minutes) may return to school only after all of the following conditions have been met:

• The individual has not developed any COVID-19 symptoms (e.g., cough, shortness of breath).
• In order to return after 7 days, proof of a negative COVID test* performed on day 5 or later post-exposure must be provided.
  *at home testing is only okay if it accompanies a telehealth visit and the digital result is emailed to health@hawken.edu

Quarantined for contact, symptoms appear
Anyone who has been quarantined at home because of confirmed exposure AND has developed symptoms may return to school only after all of the following conditions have been met:

• Contacted their healthcare provider; and
• If the individual has tested positive, followed the guidelines above.
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The State also requests schools adjust policies so as not to penalize students for required quarantine period(s). Remote learning plans should be considered for all students who are absent for a significant time period and able to continue engaging in learning.

If your child has, or is presumed to have, COVID19 infection, what you should do next:

- Follow all care instructions as provided.
- Your child must stay home from school and should not participate in other activities outside of home until their school says they can return based on local health department guidelines. Please notify and provide a copy of this letter to your school.
- Other members of your household should self-quarantine (stay home). If they remain symptom-free, they can return to school or work.
- Contact your provider if your child has a fever for more than 3 consecutive days, is having trouble breathing or drinking, does not urinate at least 3 times a day, is worse in any way, or you have any other concerns.
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Information for you and your child’s school.

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Signature __________________________
Provider name _______________________
Date ________________________________