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Mill Valley School District COVID-19 Testing Protocol

Mill Valley School District follows Marin Public Health guidelines for essential workers. According to public health, essential school workers shall contact their own providers. Every staff member should be tested prior to school opening and then once every 2 months. 25% of staff every 2 weeks monitors viral spread in an ongoing manner.

Testing is to be sought through medical providers. Those unable to obtain testing through their provider are eligible for free testing through public health testing sites [found via LHI](#). Another option may be [found here](#). District Kaiser-covered employees [may access a COVID-19 test directly through Kaiser](#). District Anthem employees may see [testing information here](#). SISC partnered with Quest Diagnostics to provide an alternative approach for school districts to comply with the recommended testing of K-12 staff. Here is an [information sheet](#) and [here are the links](#) for you to access testing through your insurance.

As we are now 2 weeks prior to a return to in-person instruction for grades K-5, elementary teachers and staff members should now request COVID-19 testing. You may do this by reaching out to your primary care provider stating the following information:

- “I am an essential worker in education. I need to be tested prior to in-person instruction starting on October 12th and am requesting a test.”

2 Weeks Prior to Start of In-Person Instruction all staff should be tested

- September 28 - October 11 2020 - All K-5 Staff
- TBD- 6-8 Staff

Following initial testing, 25% of staff should be tested every 2 weeks. Your supervisor will assign you to one of the following quadrants:

<p>Quadrant 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● October 26-30, 2020 ● January 4-8, 2021 ● March 8-12, 2021 ● May 10-14, 2021 	<p>Quadrant 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● November 30-December 1, 2020 ● February 1-5, 2021 ● April 12-16, 2021 ● June 7-17, 2021
<p>Quadrant 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● November 9-13, 2020 ● January 18-22, 2021 ● March 22-26, 2020 ● May 24-28, 2021 	<p>Quadrant 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● December 14-18, 2020 ● February 22-26, 2021 ● April 26-30, 2021

*** Consult your healthcare provider at any time to request testing if you are symptomatic.**

*** If you have a positive test result, contact your administrator or Human Resources immediately. Do not report to work.**