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LPS Community,

We wanted to provide you with a brief update related to recent quarantine guidance and our Covid-19 testing site. As has been the case throughout the pandemic, this remains an extremely fluid situation. We remain committed to providing you with the necessary updates as they become available.

Quarantine Update

Earlier this week, the Clay County Public Health Center released an update as it pertains to the topic of *Quarantine Guidance*. Below, is a brief summary of the information released by the CCPHC:

- *Per CDC guidance, quarantining for the full 14 days is the preferred option. Based on the December 2, 2020, CDC update, as a close contact, you may end your quarantine after 10 days IF you have NO symptoms, but you must continue to wear your mask and monitor for symptoms for the full 14-day time period. If at any time during that 14-day timeframe, you develop symptoms of COVID-19, please isolate and get tested.*
- *We encourage anyone who has been exposed to COVID-19 to stay home. Individuals who are asymptomatic should wait at least 7 days after exposure to get tested. As always, anyone with COVID-19 symptoms should be tested, if possible.*

Liberty Public Schools currently plans to continue with our [Covid-19 Exposure and Symptom Protocols](#) that have been in place this semester, which include a full 14-day quarantine for an exposed individual (student or staff member). These protocols are always subject to change and will continue to be reviewed in the coming days and weeks leading up to the start of the second semester. We will provide staff and families with updates as they become available.

LPS Covid-19 Testing Site Now Available

We are now offering rapid Covid-19 testing at our testing facility, located at 300 Blue Jay Drive, which is just south of the Liberty High School Activities Complex. This testing opportunity is being offered for LPS staff and students, and is available once authorized, and by appointment only. Hours of operation for the testing site are Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.–12 p.m. and 1–3

p.m. Additional information to know regarding the testing site and procedures can be accessed at the webpage, which can be accessed by [clicking here](#).

As always, we thank you for your patience, grace, and flexibility as we navigate through this unprecedented time.

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