



Summit Hill School District 161

**Arbury Hills School ▪ Frankfort Square School ▪ Indian Trail School
Dr. Julian Rogus School ▪ Walker Intermediate School ▪ Summit Hill Jr. High**

To Summit Hill Families:

As we return to in-person learning, please know that the following IDPH/ISBE safety measures will be implemented in all our district buildings:

- Required use of appropriate personal protective equipment including mandatory face coverings.
- Prohibiting more than 50 individuals from gathering in one space.
- Require social distancing be observed, as much as possible.
- Require schools conduct symptom screenings and temperature checks or require that an individual self-certify they are free of symptoms before entering school buildings.
- Require an increase in school-wide cleaning and disinfection.

To help with the process of self-certifying students prior to entering the building and/or getting on a school bus, the district will be utilizing the Crisis Go platform for all staff and students. Attached, you will find the steps for completing this daily process for all your children attending the Summit Hill School District.

If your child is attending school, the daily screening must be completed for your child within one hour prior to the start of the school day. If your child is going to be absent for any reason, you still must complete the screening so symptoms can be noted and continue with the typical reporting of your child's absence by calling the absence hotline for their school. Parents/guardians are required to keep student(s) home when symptoms are present.

When reporting your child absent to the school through the absence hotline or through office personnel, please indicate if the following symptoms are present and when the symptoms began:

- Fever (100.4 degrees or higher)
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Chills
- Fatigue from unknown cause
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea
- Abdominal pain from an unknown cause
- Close contact with someone diagnosed with COVID-19 or that had symptoms

Once you have screened your child for symptoms and certified your child in the morning, please be sure to have your child wear the "Summit Hill Strong" wristband provided in the envelope. This will serve as a quick visual for our staff as they are entering the buildings and boarding buses in the morning that a child has been screened at home by parents/guardians. COVID-19 symptom check will be done prior to entering the building if a student arrives without the wristband. If a pattern of non-compliance occurs with the symptom check certification or sending a student to school with symptoms, the student will not be allowed to continue in-person learning and will be transferred to a remote learning class.

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter to ensure the health and safety of all students and staff.

Please reach out to your school nurse should you have additional questions.

Parent Guide to Crisis Go

Feel free to bookmark the link or save it on the home screen of your cellular device.

1) Go to www.summithill.org then scroll down on the page until you see the image below. Then click on “Students Click Here”

The screenshot shows the Summit Hill School District website. At the top, there are links for 'COVID-19 Parent/Student Handbook/Attendance 2020-2021' and 'Return to School - Draft'. A 'Click Here to Schedule your Appointment Today!' link is also present. The main navigation area includes 'Contact Us', 'E-mail School Board', 'Unit District Committee Feasibility Study', 'Daily Health Screening Certification', and 'Substitute Teacher Resources'. A red box highlights the 'Students Click Here' button. Below this is a 'Staff Click Here' link. The 'Absence Numbers' section lists four schools: Arbury Hills, Frankfort Square, Indian Trail, and Dr. Julian Rogus, each with a phone number.

2) **If you have multiple children you will need to fill out a form for each child.** Select your child’s school.



Daily Health Screening Certification for Students

Summit Hill School District 161

Select the building

Please select

Schools and districts must monitor temperature and symptom screening in an effort to keep students, staff and visitors entering school buildings healthy and safe. Individuals who have a temperature greater than 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit/38 degrees Celsius or currently known symptoms of COVID-19, such as fever, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, chills, fatigue, muscle and body aches, headache, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell, congestion or runny nose, nausea, vomiting or diarrhea, may not enter buildings.

Individuals who exhibit symptoms should be referred to a medical provider for evaluation, treatment and information about when they can return to school. A Return to School to School form will be required for my child to return to school for any COVID-19 related illnesses.

I hereby certify that the responses provided below are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

3) Then in the boxes please put your child's last name in the first box, your child's first name in the second box, put your Last then first name in the third box, and the Homeroom or First Hour teachers last name in the fourth box.

Student Last Name

1st Box

Student First Name

2nd Box

Parent or Guardian Last Name/First Name completing this Symptoms Screener:

3rd Box

Last Name of Homeroom or First Hour Teacher

4th Box

4) This next section is where you tell us if you child is staying home or coming to school. Depending on which box you select the form will change where we will need some additional information.

I am confirming that:

- I screened for child for symptoms related to COVID-19, is showing no signs or symptoms related to COVID-19, and will be attending school today.
 - My child is not attending school today as he/she is showing signs and symptoms related to COVID-19 after conducting health screening. I will report my absence to the building. I will go on to answers additional questions related to illness and refer to my medical provider for evaluation, treatment, and information about when my child should return to school.
 - My child is not attending school today as he/she had known contact with a person who is confirmed to have COVID-19. I will report my child's absence to the school. I will refer to my medical provider for evaluation, treatment, and information about when my child should return to school.
 - My child will not be attending school today for an illness unrelated to COVID-19 or family matter. I will report his/her absence to the building.
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5) In the last section if you could please provide your First name, Last name, and email. This will help us to contact you faster if we require additional questions.

To receive a personalized response, please enter your name and email address. If left blank, you will not be able to receive a response to your message. If you would like to receive a response but keep your identity hidden, enter your email address and select 'Hide your contact information'.

Your name

Your email

Hide your contact information [?](#)

Student Symptom Decision Tree

Screen all students for potential COVID-19 symptoms or exposure

Low-risk: general symptoms



Fever ($\geq 100.4^{\circ}\text{F}$)



Sore throat



Congestion/runny nose



Headache



Nausea/vomiting/diarrhea



Fatigue/muscle or body aches

High-risk: red flag symptoms



Cough



Difficulty breathing



Loss of taste/smell

Exposure to COVID-19 positive person?

Close contact: less than 6 feet, 15 minutes or longer

NO

▶ 1 **low risk** symptom



Send home



Return to school 24 hrs after symptom resolution (without fever reducing medication)

▶ ≥ 2 **low risk** symptoms
OR 1 **high risk** symptom



Send home



Evaluation by health care provider

1

Health care provider confirms alternative diagnosis for symptoms. A health care provider's note must be on file. SARS-CoV-2 PCR test not needed.



Return to school after 24 hrs without fever and symptoms improving

2

Negative SARS-CoV-2 PCR test.



Return to school after 24 hrs without fever and symptoms improving

3

Positive SARS-CoV-2 PCR test
OR
No provider visit or test.



Return to school only after 10 days since symptom onset and 24 hrs without fever. Quarantine close contacts of confirmed cases. If any questions, contact local health care provider.

YES



Stay home*



Return to school after 14 days from last contact, unless symptoms develop. If symptoms develop, perform SARS-CoV-2 PCR test.

*In consultation with local health care provider

This care pathway was designed to assist school personnel and is not intended to replace the clinician's judgment or establish a protocol for all patients with a particular condition.

Diagnosis and treatment should be under the close supervision of a qualified health care provider.