

RECOMMENDATION for parents & employees

Dealing with signs of illness and colds in children in secondary schools, 15.02.2021

When must a child stay at home?

Severe cold / constant runny nose <u>without</u> additional signs of illness	Increased temperature / fever (more than 37,5°C;	Cough / Sore throat	Loss of sense of smell / sense of taste	Headache	Gastrointestinal complaints
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At least one of the above-mentioned symptoms must be acute.
In case of known chronic diseases with similar symptoms, a medical certificate is recommended.

YES

The child or adolescent is not allowed to visit school

Does the child or adolescent need a doctor?

Yes	No		Yes
The child or adolescent has to stay at home at least 48 hours for observation. (no other signs of illness have occurred)	The child or adolescent has to be symptom-free and in good general condition for at least 48 hours (no other signs of illness have occurred)	Yes	The doctor decides if a PCR-Test will be made. Important: No school attendance between test and notification of the result!
Additional symptoms?			NO test is ordered
			NEGATIVE test result
			POSITIVE test result

No

Yes

Yes

The child or adolescent may attend school! <u>A medical certificate is not necessary.</u>	<div style="background-color: red; color: black; padding: 2px;">The child or adolescent must stay at home.</div> <div style="background-color: red; color: black; padding: 2px;">Please follow the instructions of the responsible health authority.</div>
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Important! If further signs of illness occur during supervision time / school attendance, the following applies: