

# Returning to School After an Illness

## **Fever**

It is District policy that your child be “fever free” for 24 hours before returning to school. The child’s temperature needs to be normal (less than 100°) without having administered medication to lower it.

## **Strep Throat**

Please keep students home for 24 hours from the time treatment begins. Students not visibly ill, but being tested, should remain home until results of the culture confirm or dismiss the presence of the disease. Students having both rapid and overnight cultures should wait for both results before returning to school. This exclusion period is the only way of controlling the spread of the organism in the classroom!

## **Vomiting/Diarrhea**

Students must be 24 hours without vomiting and diarrhea before returning to school.

**THANK YOU**

for your cooperation in keeping our students and families  
healthy.