



Daily monitoring of Health

Introduction

The guidance provided by the State of Pennsylvania suggests that each school monitor health daily. To provide the healthiest environment possible for Staff and Students, schools should choose to implement a Daily Health monitoring system.

Philosophy

Health monitoring should be done in conjunction with efforts taken at home with the parents of children attending the school. Parents have the greatest information regarding the health of their children and are an integral part of this process.

Process

- Parents will sign an agreement at the beginning of the month that they will monitor the health of their children daily using the questions provided below:
 - **Questions:**
 - Do you have the chills, cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing?
 - Are you tired?
 - Do you have any aches or pains?
 - Do you have a headache?
 - Do you have a sore throat, runny nose or congestion?
 - Do you have nausea or vomiting or diarrhea?
- Parents must keep the students home when they experience any symptoms. Students may join the class virtually.
- The principal may randomly check students temperatures.
- In the classroom, the teachers will scan students after Morning Prayer and again at lunchtime. If a student is displaying symptoms they will be sent to the office for further monitoring.
- Parents will be called if there is a concern.
- The Principal will monitor the health of the teachers, staff and students by tracking absenteeism.