

COVID-19 Frequently Asked Questions for Schools September 2020

A visual guide to contacts



Classmates/bubble

1. Child attends school and develops symptoms. The child is subsequently tested for COVID-19 and the result is positive. This child is now a 'case'



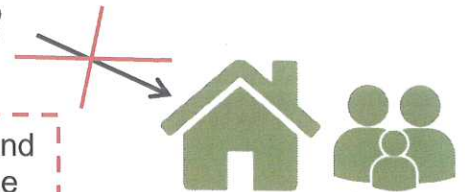
2. LCRC/public health will look at who had contact with the case ('contacts')



3b. The child will also have had contact with its classmates/bubble, so classmates/bubble are also 'contacts' and must self-isolate



3a. The child will have been in contact with its household, so members of the household are 'contacts' and must self-isolate



However, classmates' households and siblings haven't had contact with the case, so they are not 'contacts' and do not need to self-isolate.

