It is a good idea to keep your child home from school if they have any of the following symptoms:



EYES – thick mucus or pus draining from the eye or pink eye (conjunctivitis).

FEVER – temperature of 100 degrees Fahrenheit or higher. It is recommended that a child should be fever free for **24 hours** before returning to school **without fever reducing medication**.

GREENISH NOSE DISCHARGE, AND/OR CHRONIC COUGH – should be seen by a health care provider. These conditions may be contagious and require treatment. If student has a mild cough, runny nose without fever, they should attend school.

DIARRHEA – 3 or more watery stools in a 24 hours period especially if the child acts or looks ill. **Student can return to school when they are diarrhea free for 24 hours.**

VOMITING – vomiting 2 or more times within the past 24 hours. **Student can return to school when they have not vomited for 24 hours.**

RASH ACCOMPANIED BY FEVER – body rash with fever. Heat rashes and allergic reactions are not contagious.

LICE, SCABIES – It is recommended that children not return to school until lice treatment has been initiated. Our district has a no-nit policy. If the student returns to school with nits present, parent/guardian will be notified to come pick them up. Children with diagnosed scabies can come to school after treatment.