



Blackford County Schools

Our Mission:
**Educating Students,
Changing the World**

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Blackford County Schools continues to place a high value on the health and well-being of its students and staff. To help address cold and flu season, as well as coronavirus (Covid-19) precautions, please be aware of the following changes to our healthcare procedures:

- Students and staff will be sent home if registering a temperature of **100 degrees** or more
- Students and staff will not be allowed to return to school until **fever free (without medication) for 48 hours.**

These procedures will be implemented immediately.

Here are some additional precautions we are taking at all Blackford County Schools:

- We are closely monitoring the health and attendance of our students and staff
- Our custodial staff is working hard to keep surfaces often used in our schools and on our buses as clean as possible, and soap/hand sanitizer containers full.
- At this time we are not cancelling any current or future activities, athletics or field trips.
- We encourage our students, families and staff to be mindful of key preventative measures as recommended by the CDC.

Here are some suggested precautions for our BCS families and staff:

- Wash hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds
- Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick
- Cough and sneeze into an elbow or use a tissue and immediately place it in the trash.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Wash hands thoroughly prior to eating

As this situation changes, we will continue to provide you with any new updates and information.

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