



Forest Grove School District Families,

We are partnering with OHSU again this year to offer free, weekly COVID-19 testing for students. Participation in this program is completely optional, but encouraged, and offered regardless of vaccination status. Participating students will drop off spit samples in pre-labeled tubes at school each week, whether they have symptoms or not. Many aspects of the screening program will remain the same, with a few changes to make it easier for parents and students.

### **What's new?**

- **Starting today** enroll your kids through a convenient online portal. [www.labfinder.com/ohsu](http://www.labfinder.com/ohsu). If you cannot enroll for any reason, please call OHSU support at (503) 418-8500. All students must enroll even if they participated in last year's program
- Spit tests can be collected either the night before or the morning of their school's testing day
- When the test results are available you will receive an email telling you to log into the online portal [www.labfinder.com/ohsu](http://www.labfinder.com/ohsu) to view the results
- If you miss your weekly testing day OHSU has added 3 drop-off sites around the Portland metro area
- New, pre-labeled test tubes with a scannable barcode will be mailed directly to your mailing address and should arrive within a week of enrollment. **Kits from last year cannot be used, so please throw them away.**

### **What stays the same?**

- No cost to you
- Highly accurate molecular testing, known as [PCR](#).
- Students will continue to bring their sample to school on their testing day
- OHSU nurses will call the parents of all students who test detected or inconclusive for the SARS-CoV-2 virus that causes COVID-19.

### **Student Testing**

Students may collect their saliva "spit" tests beginning the week of 9/26/2022. For information on what day your school is testing please visit [www.ohsu.edu/k12testing](http://www.ohsu.edu/k12testing).

### **Program Information**

LabFinder enrollment and results portal: [www.labfinder.com/ohsu](http://www.labfinder.com/ohsu)

Website with supporting documents, FAQs, and instructional videos: [www.ohsu.edu/k12testing](http://www.ohsu.edu/k12testing)

- Program overview
- Saliva test instructions

- LabFinder instructions
- Location of community drop off locations

If you have any questions or need additional information please contact the OHSU support team at [k12covidtesting@ohsu.edu](mailto:k12covidtesting@ohsu.edu) or (503) 418-8500.

If you would like to reach the FGSD Covid team: [covidinfo@fgsd.k12.or.us](mailto:covidinfo@fgsd.k12.or.us)

Thank you for your ongoing support,

Forest Grove School District Health Services Department