



Marlboro Central School District

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Dear Parents,

As the school physician for Marlboro Central School District, I would like to remind the community of some good practices to keep our families healthy.

Viruses and other ailments are so easily spread in a school environment. Please remember that children may return to school once they are without a fever (100.4 F or 38 C) for 24 hours. If they have had diarrhea or vomiting, the last episode should be more than 24 hours before a return to school. For strep throat, a child must have been on an antibiotic for 24 hours prior to return to school. Conjunctivitis, or “pink eye” should be completely resolved before return to school.

There are exceptions to every rule, and special circumstances can be discussed with the school nurse. The above guidelines have your children’s best interests in mind.

Thank you.

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