

Hello Gator Parents,

As we begin this new school year, the health and safety of all students and staff remains our top concern. I'm excited to announce that the EBRPSS and Glasgow Middle will begin a voluntary weekly COVID-19 testing program to help keep our school community safe and allow us to have regular in-person learning. Through this program, we will offer the highest quality PCR testing available at no cost to teachers, staff, students, and families.

Keeping school buildings open depends on our ability to identify and take immediate action to address COVID-19 concerns on our campus. By identifying infections early, weekly testing will help keep transmission low and students in school for in-person learning, sports, and extracurricular activities.

This program will allow EBRPSS/ Glasgow Middle to test both symptomatic and asymptomatic individuals and reduce the risk to our school community. Each week a trained healthcare team will visit to conduct the testing program using a choice between short nasal or oral swabs. The samples will be couriered to the CLIA-certified laboratory and tested using PCR technology. Results will be delivered by text or email usually before the next morning and any individuals with positive tests will be contacted by our team about next steps.

Our Glasgow Middle Covid-19 Testing Program begins Tuesday, August 24, 2021, and will run weekly each Tuesday. Our testing time is 1:30-2:30. In order for your child to participate in testing, you'll need to register them for the program. Please see the reverse of this page for registration information. Registration must be completed by 6:00 PM the Monday prior to Tuesday's testing in order to plan accordingly. Individuals will not be tested if they "walk in" to testing on Tuesday morning.

The link for the testing registration will also be posted to our Glasgow website as well as an FAQ document. Every additional person tested reduces the chance of the virus spreading in our community so it is my hope that all our families will take advantage of the opportunity to help our school be as safe as it can possibly be and to remain open without any disruption.

If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to 225-910-8308 or visit the website www.k12testing.com.

We deeply appreciate your partnership and your commitment to keeping our school community safe and healthy.

Always Gator STRONG,

Erin Howard



In order to register your child for this program, please visit:

<https://home.color.com/covid/sign-up/start?partner=ldh-gla-266-students>

- A parent or guardian must register any minor under 18 years old. You'll give a one-time consent and HIPAA authorization to share their results with the school and district. Testing is not required, but highly encouraged to keep our school community safe.
- Glasgow's testing date will be Tuesdays from 1:30- 2:30.
- Results will be delivered to you by text or email within 24 hours and we will follow-up with you directly if your child has a positive result.
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Thank you for your participation to keep our Glasgow Gator community safe and healthy.

