



## **OES Policy on Travel-related Quarantine**

**For the 2021-22 School Year**

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While the Covid-19 global pandemic continues, the [CDC](#) recommends avoiding non-essential travel until fully vaccinated. As a community, OES recognizes that many people will continue to travel for a variety of reasons. We ask our community members to carefully consider the risks associated with travel as well as their [actions and activities](#), and to make decisions that minimize their exposure to Covid-19. Recognizing that some means of travel pose more risks than others, we have established the following expectations for post-travel quarantine with guidance from the Oregon Health Authority:

- Any student or community member who is fully vaccinated (2 or more weeks past the final shot and, if eligible, has received a booster) does not need to quarantine post-travel.
- If a student who is not fully vaccinated\* against Covid-19 travels by car with household or pod members, either within or outside of Oregon, and adheres to all standard safety protocols, OES will not require a post-travel quarantine.
- If a student who is not fully vaccinated\* against Covid-19 travels by public conveyance (plane, bus, cruise, boat, or train, not including local Portland-area transportation) they must quarantine at home before returning to campus. Quarantine at home for 5 days and take a test for Covid-19 to return to school. If their test result is negative, and they have not experienced any symptoms during the quarantine period and have not been exposed to anyone with Covid-19 in the previous two weeks, they may submit their test result to the division office and return to school after completing the 5 day quarantine.

*\*A person is considered fully vaccinated against Covid-19 two weeks after their final shot and, if eligible, has received a booster. OES community members who are fully vaccinated do not need to quarantine post travel.*