

SHIELD Covid Testing 2022-2023 School Year

(Staff and Students)

- District #7 will offer free SHIELD Covid testing on an as-needed basis on Wednesdays from 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at Edwardsville High School.
- Before coming to the test site, call the testing coordinator at 618-655-7100 ext. 20147 to provide an estimated time of arrival.
- Testing of symptomatic students and staff are encouraged as a negative result will decrease the number of days one might miss school/work.
- Consent forms can be completed and turned in to the testing site at Edwardsville High School, upon arrival. If a participant is unable to print a consent, a copy will be provided at the testing site.
- Testing will begin on Wednesday, August 31, 2022.
- Park in the parent pick-up lot adjacent to the student parking.

Participants must refrain from eating, drinking, brushing their teeth, using mouthwash, or using any tobacco products *one hour prior* to taking the saliva-based test. It is recommended that you drink plenty of water the morning of the test to help produce the saliva.

Link for **student** consent form here:

<http://ecusd7.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/Edwardsville-Student-Consent-Form-SHIELD-Testing-Aug-2022.pdf>

Link for **staff** consent form here:

<http://ecusd7.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/Edwardsville-Employee-Consent-Form-SHIELD-Testing-Aug-2022.pdf>