Testing

Temperature Screening:

- Daily Temperature Screening will take place upon entry to the building. Temperature screening will go as follows:
  - Temperature below 100.0 °F:
    - student will head to class
  - Temperature above 100.0 °F:
    - student will be sent directly to Nurses Office
    - student will be sent home from school
    - student date of return will be determined on an individual basis in coordination with the School Nurse based on guidelines from the New York State Department of Health

Health Screening Questionnaire:

- Students will be screened periodically using the districts identified Health Screening Questionnaire. If any question is answered “yes,” students will be sent home immediately. Date of return will be determined on an individual basis in coordination with the School Nurse based on guidelines from the New York State Department of Health.

Health Office Sick visits:

- Covid-19 signs and symptoms are very similar to many other illnesses. Due to this fact, if a student begins to show signs and symptoms at any time throughout the school day they will be sent to the Nurses Office for evaluation. Any student who is experiencing any signs or symptoms will be sent home. These symptoms may include:
  - Fever or chills
  - Cough
  - Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
  - Fatigue
  - Muscle or body aches
  - Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

- Date of return will be determined on an individual basis in coordination with the School Nurse based on guidelines from the New York State Department of Health.

Use of Room 400:

- Room 400 has been identified as a negative pressure isolation room for those with an increased temperature of 100.0°F or higher or any sign and symptom of covid-19 as listed above. Plan for Room 400 is as follows:
  - Student who presents with a temperature of 100.0°F or greater will be escorted by designated school personnel to room 400 for isolation.
  - Negative pressure isolation will begin
  - Students will be supervised at all times while in isolation
    - Supervising person will be in full PPE (gown, gloves, goggles, mask)
  - Students will use bathroom next to Room 400 if necessary
    - Bathroom will be shut off for other use until thoroughly cleaned and disinfected
  - Point of contact (Megan Potter) will notify Cortland County Health Department of temperature and isolation status
  - Student to be escorted to Visitor Center by school personnel to be picked up
  - Information will be provided to parent/guardian including:
    - recommendation for seeing health care provider for a screening specific to covid-19
    - Date of return will be determined on an individual basis in coordination with the School Nurse based on guidelines from the New York State Department of Health.
In-person School Exclusion:

- Students will be excluded from in-person instruction if any of the following occur
  - temperature 100.0°F or above
  - signs and symptoms of covid-19 that cannot be attributed to any other condition
  - exposure to or close contact with another person who has covid-19
  - positive covid-19 test

Return to In-Person Instruction:

- Student or Staff that tested positive for covid-19 will need a note from their primary care physician clearing them to return to school/work and a negative test for covid-19. (If they are positive, the health dept. will be controlling their quarantine/isolation status and give them a return to school/work release)