

In Case of a Positive COVID-19 Result:

VisArts is committed to transparent communication between staff, administration, and camp families. We intend to be as open as possible throughout camp and keep families informed of any potential exposures, as well as positive test results. Families will be informed of ANY positive test results throughout their session of camp. Strict health and safety measures have been put into place to ensure your child's safety. This includes a safe, low-contact check-in system. Please see below for the specific situations and our respective actions.

What happens if one of the students in my child's pod tests positive for COVID-19?

If a student in your child's pod tests positive, the student in question, as well as the rest of the children in the pod will transfer to an online format with the same teacher. Under no circumstances will campers from the pod be permitted to continue camp onsite **for the rest of the session**, even if they do not feel unwell or receive a negative test result.

The camp schedule will be altered to accommodate an online format, materials will be made available for curbside pickup, and families will be given Zoom codes and links to log in to the classes.

What happens if a family member of one of the students in my child's pod tests positive for COVID-19?

If a family member of a student tests positive, the student will not be permitted to return to camp. If the student subsequently receives a positive test result, all the students in the pod will be sent home and we will follow the procedures stated above. If the student tests negative, a 7 day quarantine period will still be enforced and the student will not be permitted to return for the session.

It will be the parents decision as to whether they choose to quarantine their student and enter the online program in this case of possible secondary exposure within the campers group.

What happens if a child or family member of a student in a different pod tests positive for COVID-19?

Because of our pod system, students will NOT interact with anyone except for those in their pod. While administrators and staff members may be in the classroom at times, it will always be under a 15 minute threshold. Exposure will be as limited as possible and for that reason, if a student, or family member of a student tests positive, campers from other pods will not be

required to enter an online quarantine program. However, in this situation, if you feel more comfortable keeping your child at home, VisArts will accommodate your child and transfer them to an online quarantine program

Refund policy:

Please note, that if you are required, or choose to keep your child at home for a quarantine, VisArts will not be providing refunds. An alternative online camp will be made available to students at no charge and materials will be made available for pick up.

What materials will be needed for the online quarantine program? How will I get them? What will the online program look like?

Materials will be made available for curbside pickup as soon as possible for students who must transfer to an online quarantine program. Many of the online camp projects will require materials that can be found at home. VisArts staff will be in touch with families about the materials pick-up process once it is deemed necessary to send students into quarantine.

Online quarantine program will be run entirely on Zoom, and will look different from onsite camp. We have done our best to create a curriculum that is still based on skill-building and creativity. Projects and schedules for the quarantine program will be different than onsite schedules.

****Transfers to online quarantine camp will ONLY be available for those who are forced to quarantine because of a direct, or secondary exposure. Online camp will not be available for students missing camp because of vacation, medical appointments etc.**