

GISB is using a phone-based app called MyMedbot to complete daily screenings of staff and students. Parents/guardians will receive a registration email which includes an invitation code and links to the Apple App Store and Google Play Store. By clicking on the link, the app can be downloaded to your smartphone. GISB assumes the cost for the app so there is no cost associated with the download for GISB families. Once download and registration are completed, families will be able to complete the daily screening sent out by the school.

You will be notified every day automatically that you have to complete the questionnaire. The health screening can be started at 06:00 a.m. and needs to be completed before 07:45 a.m. The app will inform you if you are cleared to enter the building that day.

Please note, once you submit your answers they cannot be changed. Contact the nurse if you submit an incorrect answer.

One reply per student is required. In the case of siblings, every child has to be reported separately. It is possible to define multiple reporters for every child. The reporter emails are pulled from myGISB for families.

After completing the screening, you are given instructions immediately. If the checklist reveals that a student has any COVID-19 related symptoms the parent/guardian must:

- Keep the student home
- Report the absence to the school administration, noting if the absence is COVID-related.
- Call the family's primary care doctor or community health center for further guidance.

A few pointers:

- Please note, symptoms like headache and runny nose should be new onset and usually accompanied by one of the other symptoms. If you have allergies and wake up every with a runny nose, you are not going to click that as a symptom because you will then be excluded from school each time you do.
- Because we are in a pandemic, I would advise that families err on the side of caution, be totally honest and use common sense - if a headache is due to allergies I am not going to list that as a symptom.
- For the travel questions: If you have travelled to a designation not on the Mass.gov safe list, please choose the option of "Travelled to any other state or internationally in the last 14 days" while you are quarantined. Once you have a negative test you will choose the option; "Travelled to any other state or internationally in the last 14 days - cleared with an approved negative COVID-19 test."
- The app is simple to use but has limitations.

- The reporter must be reporting for self or a student who is present with them in order to assess.
- If there is a reporter listed for your child that is not here or able to report, please let me know and I will remove them.
- You will receive a notification every morning, Monday to Friday. If your child is out for the day, you will still get a notification. It is probably easiest to complete the screening, or you can ignore it if your child is not coming into the building.
- If you are away (due to travel or quarantine) for an extended period, let me know and I will deactivate your account for that period of time.

Here is a link to give you an overview of the app.

<https://www.mymedbot.lu/app-user-guide>

If you have any questions regarding this please do not hesitate to contact me at alicia.nurnberger@gisbos.org.