

Simple, pooled COVID-19 testing designed for K-12 schools

Routine testing can help you make informed decisions about COVID-19 prevalence and instill confidence in your community.

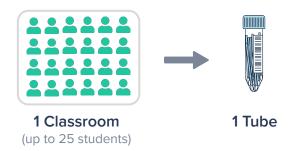
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Our classroom pooled testing program simplifies logistics and gives schools the data to make more informed decisions.

- **Simple:** Our self-swab test is so easy that kindergarteners can do it. Test an entire classroom in less than 15 minutes, with a simple online portal to get results.
- Accessible: Pooling increases the reach of testing by 25x compared to typical testing.
- Peace of mind: Testing allows students, teachers and staff to attend school in-person with confidence and to feel that they are playing a role in protecting their community.

How Classroom Pooling Works



All students in a class (and the teacher!) self-swab and place their samples in a single tube.

Test Result:
Negative

1 Result

That tube is then run using one test, and the classroom is provided with one result.

Only positive pools result in further action. For a positive classroom result, next steps will look a little different for each school based on unique circumstances.

As of April 2021, we're working with over 900 schools in 18 states.

Hear more from our community:

"Having a negative test is a morale booster. People walk taller and feel more secure."

— Superintendent*

"The test was not bad at all. It just tickles."

- Sixth Grader*

"It lifted the fear... it felt the most normal it has felt in a long time on that day."

Superintendent

"The scholars have been great about doing the testing. Most of them are excited to do it. They want to be a part of it."

Principal

"Most of our families were really excited about the opportunity. They welcomed it. It made them feel safer which is the ultimate goal."

Principal



^{*} These quotes are from participants in our free pilot program.

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See a pooling program in action in Baltimore City Public Schools!



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"Our teachers participate and it very much feels like a community effort."

Staff Specialist

Our successful pilot program in Massachusetts schools led to a statewide contract. The President of the MA Teachers Association called the pooled testing program "a tremendous victory."

Watch this video to hear what students and teachers in our pilot have to say about classroom pooling!



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Don't believe our test is super easy? Take it from a student!

Check out this adorable "How to Swab" video made by a school that participated in our pilot program, starring one of their second graders.