

# ***TOO SICK FOR SCHOOL?***

## ***4 QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER:***

### ***IS YOUR CHILD RUNNING A FEVER?***

If so, they should stay home from school. A good rule of thumb is that a child should not return to school until at least the day after their temperature is normal without medication.



### ***CAN YOUR CHILD PARTICIPATE IN CLASS?***

If your child seems too sluggish and lethargic to pay attention to their lessons, they should be kept home.

### ***ARE THE SYMPTOMS DISRUPTIVE?***

Loud, frequent coughing, frequent bathroom breaks, etc. can make it difficult for everyone to concentrate on their lessons. Keep your child home until disruptive symptoms have subsided.



### ***IS YOUR CHILD CONTAGIOUS?***

Ask the doctor if your child is sick with an illness that is contagious. The doctor will tell you when your child is not contagious.