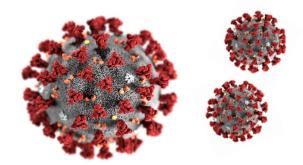
## **COVID-19 Test Availability**

September 15, 2021

Dear Neches Parents,



In Neches, we are committed to doing all we can to keep staff and students healthy and safe. If your child needs to have a COVID-19 test performed, below are some options for testing locally:

- Neches ISD, for students and staff. Please contact Kristi Braaton at 903-584-3401 or <a href="mailto:braatonk@nechesisd.net">braatonk@nechesisd.net</a>.
- The state has an interactive map that is updated daily and lists statewide COVID-19 testing sites.

This link will also help you identify vaccine availability, as well as therapeutic providers throughout Texas, should those be necessary.

We encourage you not to use your local hospital emergency room for this purpose, which can cause additional burdens on the hospital system during a challenging time, and instead use one of the local options listed above.

Thank you again for helping keep our students and community safe.

Sincerely,

Trent Cook