



2022-2023 Health and Safety Protocols Highlights

District Priority

The best educational experience for our students is in-person instruction. Our goal this year is to return to the greatest amount of normalcy possible while still taking appropriate measures and teaching healthy practices that reduce the likelihood of exposure to and spread of viral illness, including COVID-19. These activities will resume in 2022-23 with the provision of certain health, security and safety measures at all campuses:

- In person parent conferences
- Academic field trips
- Permitting parent volunteers
- Permitting volunteers and visitors who provide direct student support
- Lunch with your student
- Indoor extracurricular activities
- Flexible structure for students during lunch
- Making face coverings optional

District Actions

The district will take the following measures to minimize exposure to and spread of viral illness:

- Regular cleaning and sanitization of common spaces and daily sanitization of campuses
- Provide hand sanitizer and/or access to regular hand washing
- Provide guidance to students on proper hygiene practices
- Provide water bottle refill stations
- Whenever possible, consider well ventilated venues for large indoor gatherings
- Follow CDC guidance on the quarantining of students and staff who are COVID-19 positive

Parent Actions

It is important that your child is in school benefitting from the varied educational, social, and extracurricular experiences. Therefore, the decision to keep students from attending school due to COVID-19 should be limited to the following circumstances and involve parent collaboration with the campus nurse:

- For children with COVID-like symptoms, they should stay home until at least 5 days have passed since symptom onset, and are fever free, and other symptoms have improved.
- For children who test positive and are symptomatic, they should stay home until at least 5 days have passed since symptom onset, are fever free, and other symptoms have improved.
- Children who test positive for COVID-19 but do not have any symptoms must stay home until at least 5 days after the day they were tested.
- Students considered primary close contacts are permitted to attend school.

*This is an overview that highlights certain aspects of the Return to In-Person and Continuity Plan (District Health and Safety Protocols). Please refer to the following link for a comprehensive description of these protocols.

<https://bit.ly/3wardps>

