



20-21 Masking Guidelines Prek-6

- Gel in and gel out along with proper handwashing procedures will be expected
- Masks for staff will be worn in situations where 6 feet of separation cannot be maintained
- While seated at a desk/table students will not be required to wear a mask as long as they are able to maintain 3 feet or greater distance from others.
- If students are moving they should be masking. In all school environments.
- Masks are not required during outdoor activities. This includes inside the gym when rigorous physical activity is happening.
- Masks should be worn during partner work and in small group settings. Alternative PPE methods will be implemented in some environments where masking may inhibit the educational process. (i.e. speech)
- Masks should be worn when working with a child in a one-on-one situation when unable to meet 6 feet of separation.
- Additional PPE can be offered and made a part of a child's health care plan, 504 or IEP. This is done in consultation with both parents, school staff, and district nursing staff.
- Parents may request their child to wear a mask at all times. Please communicate your specific masking request to school staff.
- Staff members will continue to clean and disinfect all high-touch surfaces as frequently as possible.
- Per federal law, masks are required on all public school busses.