



20-21 Masking Guidelines 7-12

- Gel in and gel out along with proper handwashing procedures will be expected.
- Masks for staff, students, and guests will be strongly recommended, specifically when 3-foot physical distancing cannot be maintained.
- Masks are not required during outdoor activities or during times of rigorous physical activities and athletics. Per federal law, masks are required on all public school busses.
- Masks should be worn when working with a student in a one-on-one, specifically when 3-foot physical distancing cannot be maintained.
- Additional PPE can be offered and made a part of a student's health care plan, 504 or IEP. This is done in consultation with both parents, school staff, and district nursing staff.
- In classes that are at higher risk of transmissions, such as vocal music, drama, and band, specialized singing masks and bell covers will continue to be used. For small group or individualized instruction, where social distancing can be ensured, masks may be removed for short-term specialized instruction. This safety measure may be removed when county infection levels drop to "safe rates" (25/100,000)
- Parents may request their child to wear a mask at all times.
- Staff members will continue to clean and disinfect all high-touch surfaces as frequently as possible, to include between class periods.